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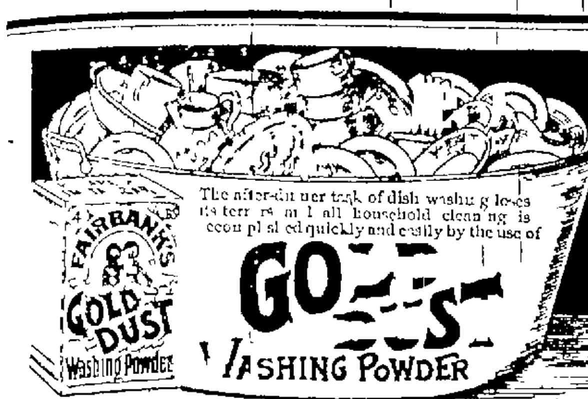

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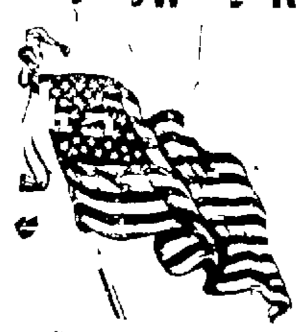

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RELIEF OF WM. J. BRYAN.

A Bill Which Caused a Laugh in the Senate.

Contest Over Seating Senator Appointed by Governor of Florida.

Several Matters of Interest in the Upper Branch Tuesday.

Washington, March 16 In the Senate today the President's message which after being read yesterday was tabled, was on motion of Mr Morrill, referred to the Finance Committee

The credentials of Mr John A Henderson appointed by the governor of Florida to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Mr Call were presented and read and Mr Pasco asked that Mr Henderson be sworn into office This request was antagonized by Senators Allen Chandler and Hoar on the ground that under the decision of the Senate in the Lee Mantle and other cases such appointments by the governor were not in compliance with the constitution An additional point of objection was noted by Mr Hoar in that the appointment in this case was made to continue "until the legislature should elect" The Governor, he argued, had no such power He could only appoint until the next meeting of the legislature In fact the Governor's appointment of Mr Henderson might last not for six years only but forever if the legislature did not elect Senator All of these cases, said Mr Hoar, were on the same footing and there ought to be a well considered careful dealing with them, first by report from the Committee on Privileges and Elections and afterwards by the action of the Senate

It was much more important for the Senate to extricate itself from the mud into which it had got by its action in the Montana and Washington cases than that a Senator should get his seat a week or two earlier He hoped that under the circumstances the Senator from Florida would not insist upon having a long debate on the matter now

Mr Pasco stated the points in which the present case differed from the other ... and argued in favor of the immediate admission of Mr Henderson

Mr Allen moved the reference of the credentials to the Committee on Privileges and Elections

After a long and dry discussion Mr Allen's motion was agreed to and the credentials were referred the Committee on Privileges and Elections In the meantime the Senators claiming seats under appointment of the Governors of States were accorded the privileges of the floor

Many bills were introduced and referred, among them bills (by Mr Allen) directing the foreclosure of the government lien on the Union Pacific R R, to prevent the over capitalization of companies doing interstate carrying trade, to prevent professional lobbying, to preserve the purity of national legislation, to increase the circulating medium Altogether some forty bills were introduced by Mr Allen—most of them relics of the last Congress A bill to facilitate the construction, working and maintenance of telegraphic communication between the United States the Hawaiian Islands Japan and Australasia was introduced by Mr Chandler on behalf of Mr Hale Also a bill to provide for the twelfth and subsequent censuses A bill for a government telegraph was introduced by Mr Kyle and one to amend the immigration laws by Mr Lodge

A bill for the relief of Wm J Bryan when its title was read caused a general laugh A bill to increase all pension allowances was introduced by Mr Thurston A new Nicaragua canal bill was introduced by Mr Morgan also a bill to create a board of trustees of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroad companies and fund their bonded debts Also a joint resolution declaring the Bulwer Clayton treaty abrogated Bankruptcy bills were introduced by Senators Hoar and Nelson

Altogether 238 bills were introduced and referred, most of them coming from the last Congress

A bill granting a pension of $50 a month to the widow of Brig Gen J ... B Stevenson was introduced by Mr Vest and passed A resolution was offered by Mr Frye calling for copies of all orders circulars or instructions and all correspondence with the engineer officer in charge of public works relating to the application of the civil service rules in the operation of works in charge of the ... department He remarked in an audible whisper that he wanted to get rid of the civil service which was an awful outrage

Is that a step, Mr Cockrell asked, in the direction of abolishing the civil service law?

"I regard it," Mr Frye replied, "as a step in favor of abolishing civil service rules as far as they relate to the employment of laborers and surveyors in the construction of public works

Their employment by contractors or by army engineers?" Mr Hawley inquired

"By the engineers" Mr Frye replied "It is simply this The civil service rules have been extended by the President over the employment of all manner of servants through the engineer department of the government so if an officer away up Columbia river wants to hire a laborer for a piece of work, the laborer must have a certificate from the civil service commission And so in the case of a surveyor who may be wanted for two or three days It is interfering with all improvements of rivers and harbors and is absolutely absurd and stupid"

The resolution was agreed to Mr Vest gave notice of amendments to the rules, providing that no report be received by the Senate from any committee unless the report has been considered by the committee attended by a quorum of its members

After a short executive session in which to-day's nominations were referred, the Senate adjourned till Thursday.

WENTWORTH FOUND AGAIN.

This Time the Missing Man is Said to be in Connecticut Very Ill.

Portland, Me, March 16 Stillman Wentworth, of Westbrook brother of Fred C Wentworth who has been reported missing for several weeks, returned today from Connecticut, where he found his brother very sick but improving He will start for home in a few days His wife is with him

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CASTORIA.

MAINE LEGISLATURE.

Hearing on Bangor Street Railway Matter Tuesday.

Bangor Street Railway Wants General Law to Compel B. O. & O. to Pay It.

The State College Resolve Debate Begun and Will be Continued To-day

Augusta Me March 16 This was a long and busy session of the Legislature this morning and numerous committee hearings were held this afternoon

In the House orders were introduced for all committees to report finally on Friday and for two sessions daily on and after Friday

Both orders were tabled In the Senate A resolve was introduced for $ 00 for two years for the Pennell Institute Many resolves were taken from the table and put on passage

Representatives Patten of Amherst, and Britton of Buck port were excused for the rest of the session In the division of the town of Berwick report ... giving the petitioners for division leave to withdraw was accepted, 102 to 6

In the Senate after the disposal of routine matters the State College resolve was taken up ... a long and lively debate which was participated in by Messrs Clason of Kennebec ... of Piscataquis, Stearns of Aroostook and Reynolds of Cumberland

At 1 ... the matter was laid over to be taken up Wednesday as unfinished business

Mr Clason of Kennebec took from the table the college resolve and a heated debate followed

Mr Waite of Knox offered an amendment to cut ... the appropriation to $... 000 and Mr Clason another reducing it to $15 000 and directing the trustees to charge tuition

Mr Savage, of Androscoggin presented an amendment confining the time of the appropriation to two years

Senator Clason opposed the resolve

Mr Parsons of Piscataquis made a strong speech supporting the college The amendment he said asked us to cut down the appropriation to $1 000 and tell them He didn't care to say much about the commission's report which Mr Clason attempted to bolster up When these gentlemen who had attacked the college had become governors and a steamer he hoped this attempted blow at the institution would furnish them food for reflection

Mr Stearns of Aroostook argued that it is an obligation of the state to give every boy and girl an opportunity to gain an education which will fit them for the highest duties of life The halting policy was to be regretted He denied that the objects of the institution had been perverted The college was fulfilling its purpose when it took the sons of toil and fitted him for a vocation which required the services of the brightest and keenest minds

He referred to the chief executive against said his judgment could not influence his vote and it ought not any other Senator He could not heed the words of the Governor only as one of his constituents which he is Any attempt of the Governor to influence members of this body except by executive message may detract from his standing to this high office

Notes

In the Senate today Mr Stearns of Aroostook presented an amendment to the law for the punishment of persons convicted of intoxication which provides that for the second or any subsequent offense shall be not exceeding 60 days imprisonment instead of 30 days as now A communication of Mayor Strong of New York was read in which he invited the governor and his staff to attend the formal transfer to the city of the Grant monument on April 27 and any troops who may desire to attend

A determined effort is being made to adjourn the last of next week

Bangor Street Railway Hearing

[Special dispatch to Whig and Courier]

Augusta Me March 16 The Railroad Committee gave a hearing this afternoon, the Bangor Street Railway Co vs the Bangor Orono and Oldtown R R Co monopolizing most of the time Hon A M Spear of Gardiner appeared for the Bangor Street Railway Co, which desires a general law compelling the Bangor Orono and Oldtown Co to pay for all time $5 000 a year for the privilege of running into Bangor over 1½ miles of track belonging to the former company

Hon. H M Heath, of Augusta appeared for the Bangor Orono and Oldtown R R in opposition to the bill, and asked for more time to put in evidence

CHECK PASSER ABROAD.

Bangor House Said to Be Among the Victims of Sharper

Portsmouth N H March 16 Last week a man who gave the name of A J Buchanan and claimed to be the agent of the Standard Oil Co got the manager of one of the leading hotels in this city to cash a check for $60 drawn on the Standard Oil Co signed by W J Calkins The check was returned today as a forgery It is learned that similar checks for the same amount were cashed by the proprietors of the Bangor House, Bangor, and West End Hotel, Portland Buchanan formerly worked for the Standard Oil Co

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Will Print 20 000 Copies of the Tariff Bill

Washington, March 16 In the Senate to-day the House concurrent resolution for printing 20 000 copies of the Dingley tariff bill (6 000 for the Senate and 14 000 for the House) was agreed to

Investigation of Boston Disaster

Boston, March 16 In the legislature today the senate order for an investigation by the gas commissioners into the cause of the recent gas explosion at the corner of Tremont and Boylston streets which caused the loss of two lives and injuries to forty persons was adopted by the house

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Washington, March 16, 8 P. M.

Indications:

Forecast for Wednesday: For New England, fair slightly warmer, northerly winds, becoming variable.

Local Forecast ...

TALKED WITH BRAM.

Alleged Story of a Prisoner in an Adjoining Cell.

Intimated that Confession Will be Made if He Has to Die.

Bram Said to Have Been Afraid of Capt Nash and Very Jealous.

Boston March 16 The Globe will tomorrow print a statement from a person confined in Charles street jail for 20 days in a cell adjoining that occupied by Thomas Bram, the convicted murderer of Capt Nash and which if true, brings out a good many points as regards the motive and circumstances surrounding the tragedy and suggests a possibility that a confession may be made if all possible legal attempts to save his life shall fail

This man is Charles H Avery of Natick committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury on the charge of forgery but against whom no bill was found During his confinement he kept a diary of events and in this book he recorded the conversations he had with Bram the door of whose cell was ... in ... from the window in Avery's cell

Upon Avery's release he communicated with the district attorney and gave him the substance of his conversations with Bram

By the statements laid before District Attorney Hoyt it is set forth that Bram feared Capt Nash would break him for incompetency and reduce him to the ranks of a common sailor, that Bram was jealous of the attention shown the second mate by Capt Nash and that ... giving the second mate's opinion in matters touching the management of the vessel that he was jealous of the passenger Monks

Bram had a fixed opinion of his own ... and his ability to outwit others on the ship for whom he had formed a dislike and murderous hatred

In these statements ... Bram is reported to which the latter asked ... what he could do if he failed to get a new trial He was told of prisoners who was saved from the gallows at the last moment by appealing to the Christian sentiment of the public, even on a confession of his crime

Bram asked what his chances would be with the public if he made a confession and was told evasively that such a course should only be taken when he had no other

Avery states in giving his story that he has come to the conclusion that Bram is guilty He went to the jail with doubts in his mind as to Bram's guilt but from the man's manner and talk he firmly believed he was just the man who could one did commit the crime for which he has been convicted

New Tariff Bill Considered

Washington March 16 The new tariff bill was considered today by the Ways and Means Committee The morning session lasted three hours The suggestion that the bill be reported Thursday met with strong opposition from the minority The chairman disclaimed any purpose of curtailing the opportunity for offering amendments but pointed out the necessity for getting the bill before the House at the first moment

The Democrats insisted that they desired only time in which to offer such amendments as justice and logic demanded

When the committee took a recess for luncheon the date on which the bill will be reported had not been definitely determined but the expectation was that the bill would run into the committee not later than Thursday noon

The iron steel and glass schedules were explained by Mr Dalzell of Pennsylvania the sugar by Mr Payne of New York and wool by Mr Dawes, of Minnesota Mr Dolliver stated in reference to the agricultural schedule that the changes were more in form than substance The duty on animals was ... the McKinley rate As far as oranges were concerned the duty was assessed by the pound instead of by bulk in order to insure more equal ... to prevent the evil ... of the present law ...

Mr Payne was asked as to the amount of revenue the schedule would produce He could not say but thought the increase would be about $16 000 000

Mr Robinson of Louisiana asked the revenue from sugar at $50 000 000 per annum Mr Wheeler, of Alabama referred to the glass schedule desiring information as to the increases in small glass Mr Dalzell replied that the committee found that the duty on small glass was not productive and an equalization had been made by lowering the duty on the higher grades

There was some criticism from the Democrats on transferring cotton ties from the free list to the dutiable list

It elicited no explanation from the majority although Mr Wheeler asserted that we were now exporting cotton ties in great quantities to countries as remote as India The Democrats criticised the increased rate on lumber for spars and wharves and for the construction of telegraph lines to which the Republicans responded by stating the reasons which led to them It was developed incidentally that the tariff on 95 per cent sugar importations will yield an advalorem duty of 45 per cent

A TRAIN BLOWN UP.

Over 150 Spanish Soldiers Reported to Have Been Killed

New York March 16 A Sun special from Havana says a troop train was blown up by insurgents near San Christobal, Pinar del Rio on Saturday and more than one hundred and fifty soldiers were killed or wounded

The Adah Richmond Case

Boston March 16 In the case of Charles H Pettee vs Adah Richmond Stetson to-day Mrs Ann Kedney, who was employed by John Stetson at his house in Hayward place from 1886 to 1891 testified that she was in the house when Lawyer Pettee called there on June 30 1887, (the day when and the place where he is said to have performed the ceremony of marriage between Stetson and Miss Stoke) Pettee had a conversation with Stetson and handed some papers to him. Miss Stokes was in the front room seated in a chair and she did not come into the room where Pettee and Stetson were Miss Stokes was there some time before this day she slept there and so did one of her sisters sometimes

"Do you know of any marriage being performed there?" asked Mr Morse

"No sir"

"When did you hear of Stetson's marriage to Miss Stokes?"

"I read it in the newspapers the next day."

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WAR IS INEVITABLE.

Said to Be the Prevailing Opinion at Athens.

Reported from Canea that Blockade, Has Not Yet Been Proclaimed

Another Dispatch Has It That the Blockade Has Already Begun.

Canea Crete March 16 As a result of the operation of the blockade of Cretan ports by the combined fleets of the powers the Greek squadron with the exception of two small warships left the Cretan waters today The two vessels that remain are preparing to take their departure

France Will Stick to Concert Policy

Paris, March 16 M Hanotaux minister of foreign affairs made in the Senate today the declaration of the policy of France in the matter of the Greco-Cretan situation that he made in the chamber of deputies yesterday when he announced that France would adhere to the concert policy At the conclusion of his statement he asked for a vote of confidence in the government

The Senate attested its confidence in the government's policy by a vote of 210 to 38

War Feeling

Athens, March 16 Crown Prince Constantine with the first regiment of infantry is momentarily expected to assume command of all the Greek forces in the Thessaly

The prevailing conviction here is war is inevitable

Blockade Rumors

London March 16 A dispatch from Canea says the foreign admirals have not yet proclaimed the blockade

THE FIGHTERS

News from Carson Bruisery—Corbett the Favorite

Carson, Nev March 16 The weather this afternoon was bad the clouds threatened snow or rain probably tomorrow The weather bureau indications save fair for tomorrow Stuart says there will be no postponement unless there is a heavy snow or rain storm

The championship ... started ...

Fitzsimmons right wrist which he sprained while boxing with Hickey at Colorado Springs a month ago and which he has favored in his training is as sound as ever Bob tried it this morning in the most severe manner without ... He will wear no bandages on his hands to-morrow Corbett is absolutely without blemish

Both men are usually tender are hard as ... and there is not a sore tendon or ... on ... his body He never received a scratch while training and was ... Fitz... The Australian is more rugged than Corbett and has ... his ... in ... parchment Both men were examined this morning by a sport who has money to bet After looking them over carefully he decided not to wager a dollar Betting ... Paris Mutuels ... Corbett, Green and Hawkins are favorites Fitz, Smith and Fisher are second choice

The long looked for specials from east and west arrived today and discharged additions to the crowd which already has severely taxed the resources of the town The attendance will not be as large as anticipated Between 1000 and 500 people is perhaps a correct estimate

The overwhelming confidence of Corbett and Fitzsimmons is a puzzle to sports It is undoubtedly genuine and tends to shake the ideas of any one who is inclined to waver about picking the winner

The prevailing opinion seems to be that the duration of the fight will be limited to 15 rounds Judging by the betting this number is the favorite while under 10 rounds comes in second

No one is inclined to think the battle will be long The interpretation of the rules which allows hitting in clinches and breakaways appears to account for this idea of a short fight Dan Stuart agrees with the majority since he has put ... to follow the big event

Prof Walter Watson, of the Olympic Club San Francisco who is credited with having brought out Corbett's boxing ability says Corbett is in the best condition in which he ever saw him He is ... and if he's wind is all right he's a winner

Store keepers are clearing space to make room for shakedowns and even the Salvation Army headquarters were cleared out The old agricultural pavilion has been turned into a restaurant and handouts are being served from shanties in Chinatown

The hackmen are becoming rich and unscrupulous This afternoon ex Senator John J Ingalls yielded $5 in exchange for a carriage ride 20 yards He was rescued from the grasp of the hack driver by friends

The Betting in New York

New York March 16 As the time for the big prize fight draws near the betting on the result has become much more lively Several thousand dollars have already been placed in bets on the New York Stock Exchange and a considerable amount of money has been wagered in the hotels and other resorts uptown where those interested in the fight congregate Since the betting began Corbett has been the favorite and a majority of the wagers in this city have been made at the rate of 6 to 4 on Corbett There is an abundance of Corbett money in sight

Those who favor Jim's chances and are willing to back their opinion are not inclined to give better odds than 10 to 8 Fitzsimmons backers seem to be looking for better odds all along the line and want $10 put up for every $7 of their money

Londoners on the Prize Fight

London March 16 There is very little betting in sporting or other circles in London on tomorrow's fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons and what few wagers have been made have chiefly been at even money One offer of £300 even on Fitzsimmons found no takers Later 11 to 10 against Corbett was offered by the same better and accepted

The Evening News publishes a report of an interview with Sir George Chetwynd an ardent devotee of athletic sports

In it he is reported as saying "I cannot ignore the fact that Corbett is a clever boxer but I think the Englishman will win It will be a hard fight"

The veteran pugilistic trainer and second, Jack Baldock, says "I think Fitzsimmons will win, but it is foolish to under rate Corbett Men of his class of nervous temperament often in a desperate fight exhibit a rapidity and caution beyond expectation"

Another Chestnut

London, March 16 Charlie Mitchell will challenge the winner of the fight at Carson tomorrow

Iasigi Placed Under Federal Control

New York March 6 Judge Brown, of the United States district court, today refused to release Joseph A. Iasigi, the Turkish consul at Boston, under bail pending the result of the argument of his case before the United States supreme court. Judge Brown did grant the petition that Iasigi be placed in the custody of the federal court and issued an order for his confinement in the Ludlow street jail This afternoon Iasigi was discharged from the custody of the state courts

Manslaughter Charged

New Haven, Ct, March 16. A warrant was issued today for Jesse McIntyre, charging manslaughter in causing the death of Wm Thomas, Mrs. Bernard Mahan and Mrs. Christopher Mahan, who were killed by the falling and burning of a dwelling that workmen were raising on Greenwich avenue on March 5. McIntyre had charge of the work of raising a brick wall that fell.

MANY LIVES LOST.

Floods Still Doing Great Damage —Houses Abandoned, Levees Breaking.

Memphis, Tenn March 16 The floods in the Ohio valley are the immediate cause of the frightful swelling in the Mississippi in the vicinity of Cairo and south of there The break in the levee near Modena Ark Saturday has wrought havoc in Mississippi county

Many persons are thought to have perished in this vicinity Twenty negroes are reported drowned in Bushy bayou

For miles and miles west of Memphis every home has been abandoned One planter J K Butler tells a terrible story of destruction of farm houses property and cattle, but reports only one drowning

Butler however fears that the loss of life will be great The break in the levee is widening

Six hundred persons have been brought to Memphis from Crittenden county most of them from Marion, Ark Many were in a state of starvation when they arrived The steamer Altar bates has returned from a trip to Island Forty five mile north of Mound City where several families were found the women in water up to their waists and two of them were holding babies in their arms

CUBAN FILIBUSTERING

Discussed by the Cabinet at Their Meeting

Washington, March 16 The filibustering operations between this country and Cuba occupied the attention of the cabinet today Attorney General McKenna gave his views on the subject of prohibiting all such filibustering vessels to clear for Cuban ports with cargoes of arms and munitions of war General discussion followed his remarks The Attorney General has decided not to render an opinion in the case of the steamer Dauntless until he can obtain additional facts relating to the application of her owners to clear from Jacksonville with arms and ammunition

Under ordinary commercial conditions the applications would be granted without question but the fact that the Dauntless or any other vessel would be obliged to clear for some Cuban port held by the Spanish puts another phase on the matter The cargo could not be landed there and the vessel would be seized This would make it necessary for the vessel to stop to land the cargo at some point along the coast and in order to deliver the arms and munitions to the insurgents its armed force would be necessary

The knowledge of this raises the question whether the necessary ... to carry out the plans made for the filibustering vessel would not constitute an armed expedition ... violation of the law The Attorney General will have to decide ... the ... taken if the Dauntless ... the meaning of the law

Nelson was given the steamer Commodore to clear for a Cuban port with arms and munitions of war but the vessel was wrecked before reaching the Cuban coast

It is reported that preparations are being made for extensive naval manoeuvres the coming summer somewhere off the New England coast, probably near Bar Harbor Admiral Bunce was not entirely ... with the work accomplished in February ... the gale that the ships encountered on the way to Charleston having interfered with some of his plans The vessels that are expected to assemble off Bar Harbor on July 1 are the battleships Indiana, Massachusetts, Maine, Texas and perhaps the Iowa armored cruisers New York and Brooklyn protected cruisers Columbia, Raleigh, Newark, Marblehead, Montgomery and Detroit besides gunboats monitors dispatch vessels torpedo boats and the ram Katahdin

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

New York March 16 Money on call has been ... at ... per cent ... Prime mercantile paper 3½ ... Bar silver 63 ... Mexican dollars 48¾ ... Sterling exchange ... for 60 days ... demand ... Posted rates ... Commercial bills ... Government bonds ... Railroad bonds were higher ... Silver at the Board was higher

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Central Pac ... 1sts	100	...	110½
Den & Rio G 1sts	11	Tobacco 4s	...

STOCKS

Atchison	11½	Northwestern	10...
Adams Express	148	preferred	155
American Express	115	N Y Central	...
B & O & Maine	100	N Y C & St L	14½
Canada Pacific	10	preferred	...
Ches & Ohio	16	N Y & N E	...
Chicago & Alton	1...	Old Colony	1...
preferred	1...	Ont & Westn	1...
Chi Bur & Quincy	7...	Pac Mail	...
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Del Lack	15	Reading	2...
Den & Rio Grande	11	Rock Island	6...
Erie	1...	St Paul	7...
preferred	35¼	preferred	1 7...
Ill Central	96	St Paul & Omaha	...
Lake Erie & Westn	1...	preferred	14...
Lake Shore	1 0	St Paul Min & Manit	...
Louisville & Nash	49½	Sugar	11...
Maine Central	600	Texas Pacific	7...
Mexican Central	8	Union Pacific	7
Mich Cent	...	U S Express	3...
Minn & St L	18¼	Wabash St L & Pac	5½
preferred	78	preferred	14...
Mo Pac fic	18½	Western Union	8...
N J Central	9...		
Northern Pacific	13½		
preferred	37...		

New York Produce Market.

New York March 16 FLOUR—receipts 20,000 pkgs exports 8,5 bbls 130 sacks sales 11200 bbls ... unchanged Winter wheat, low grades 2.25@3 ... fair to fancy 3 ... @4.50 patents 4 60@5 00 Minnesota clear 3 40@3 90 straights 4 00@4 20 patents 4 00 4 90 low extras 2 30@3 ... City Mills 3 00@4 00 City Mill patents 4 90 5 00 rye mixtures 2 80 3 40 superfine 2 00@2 80 fine 1 85@2 25

SOUTHERN FLOUR—dull Common to fair extras 2 90@3 ... good to choice do 3 60@4 00

RYE FLOUR—quiet weak 2 00@2 75

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—1 15@1 20

BUCKWHEAT—steady 35@00 c i f track

CORN MEAL—quiet yellow western 1 70 @1 80 brandywine 1 ...

RYE—quiet steady western ... f o b Buffalo

BARLEY—dull feeding ... @00

WHEAT—Receipts 46,000 exports ... sales 26000 dull firm ... No 1 northern ...

CORN—Receipts 110,000 exports 5,000 sales 3...00 dull firm No 2 29¼@00 elevator afloat 30½@00

OATS—Receipts 1 0,400 exports 55000 sales ... dull firm No 2 22@00 white 24 @00, No 3 ... @00, white ... mixed western, ... white do ... white State 25 30 No 2 Chicago ... @00

Chicago Produce Market.

Chicago March 16 FLOUR—dull steady hard wheat bakers 3 00@3 25 in sacks soft wheat bakers 3 00@3 10 red dog 1 00@1.50 winter wheat in wood 4 20@4.50

WHEAT—No ... spring 72½@73¼ No 2 Red, 85@89¼

CORN—No 2, 23@23¾

OATS—No 2 15¼@0

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... Shore of Orson Island from ... to ... the Bangor Boom ...

Shore of Orson Island from ... to first bridge of B ... R R ...

... Shore of ... Island ... Jackson ... farm ...

... of ... Island ... to ... Lea ... on ... Stover

All ... Shore of Island No ... (Black Island)

All ... Shore of Island No ... (Upper ... Co...)

All ... Shore of Island No 13 (Orono Island)

West Shore of Island No 1 (Old Town Indian Island) except ... places

East Shore of Island No 1 (Old Town Indian Island) ... places

East Shore of Island No ... (Jackson Island)

All ... Shore of Island No 3 ...

All ... Shore of Island No ... (... Island)

... Shore of Island No ... (Sugar Island)

In all cases the usual ... places are excepted

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17 1897

A Doleful Wail

The free traders are at it again and are already predicting an increase in the cost of living as a result of the new tariff bill In this work the New York Herald as might be expected is a leader It makes no difference to these free trade advocates that their contention is absolutely in conflict with the facts of history under a protective tariff Having dealt in misrepresentation for years it has become a second nature to them to malign the tariff The only striking feature of the present crusade is to be found in the fact that the men engaged in it are growing beautifully less in number.

There is nothing like experience to open the eyes of the people and experience they have had in solid chunks for the past few years The result is seen in the very manifest change in public sentiment Men who have heretofore joined with the Herald and papers of its class in denunciation of a protective tariff are to-day loudest in their demands for a restoration of the system they have so long opposed through ignorance of its actual operation This information has come from studying the effects of the [illegible] tariff legislation now on the statute books As against this experience the shop worn theories of the Herald which have so often been disproved carry no weight Instead of increasing the cost of living the effect of a protective tariff has always been the reverse

Competition has decreased prices and at the same time afforded the people the means with which to secure the necessaries and many of the luxuries of life a condition sadly lacking under the recent Administration Our free trade contemporary [illegible] evidently very sad over the [illegible] but the [illegible] has gone forth and it may as well accept the inevitable with the best possible grace The people have ordered a new deal and [illegible] is the trump card

A Century's Extra Sessions

In connection with the extra session of Congress which convened Monday the [illegible] it is the thirteenth time it has assembled in extra session since the formation of the present Government of the United States Including President McKinley ten Presidents have called Congress together in extra session and three Presidents have each performed this duty twice [illegible] lacked Monday only two months of one hundred years from the time the first extra session of Congress convened in Philadelphia at the call of John Adams who in summoning Congress together felt obliged to apologize for the personal inconvenience to members of the Senate and House of Representatives in leaving their families and private affairs at this season of the year

It was the Fifth Congress which thus came together May 15 1797 and the task imposed upon it was to provide means to prevent the depredations on American commerce and the impressment of American seamen Six years and five months later, on October 17, 1803 President Jefferson convoked the Eighth Congress in extra session to provide for carrying into effect the treaty by which Louisiana had been purchased from the Emperor Napoleon, and again on October [illegible] 1807 the Tenth Congress came together in extra session at the call of President Jefferson the occasion being the attack of the British warship Leopard on the Chesapeake The embargo act was passed at this session James Madison also called two extra sessions of Congress the first one of the Twelfth Congress which met November 4 1811, and the second one of the Thirteenth Congress, which met September 19 1811 The business of both these sessions related to the war of 1812

Presidents Monroe John Quincy Adams and Jackson escaped the necessity of calling extra sessions of Congress but the financial crisis which began in 1837 compelled President Van Buren to bring the Twenty fifth Congress together on September 4 of that year, to legislate on the monetary situation President William Henry Harrison did not live to see the extra session of the Twenty seventh Congress he had called for May 3, 1841, but it met with President John Tyler in the White House The administrations of Presidents Polk Taylor and Fillmore were free of extra Congressional sessions and it was not until August 21 1856 that the Thirty fourth Congress came together in extra session at the call of President Pierce, the failure of the army and navy appropriation bills having made such a session necessary This completes the extra sessions called by the earlier Presidents and brings the record down to 1861 when the new era began

The most important extra session of Congress which has convened in the history of the Government met July 4 1861 It was the Thirty seventh Congress and it was convoked by Abraham Lincoln It met at the most momentous crisis in the existence of the nation In his famous proclamation calling this Congress together President Lincoln gave as a reason for his action that the laws of the United States have been for some time past and now are opposed and the execution thereof obstructed in the States of South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Florida Mississippi Louisiana and Texas by combinations too powerful to be suppressed by the ordinary course of judicial proceedings or in the powers vested in the marshals by law * * * Now, therefore I Abraham Lincoln, etc The brief session which followed will probably never be surpassed in public interest The Speaker of the House of Representatives was Galusha A. Grow of Pennsylvania.

Congress was in nearly continuous session during the next ten years, although formal extra sessions were not called. But President Hayes was compelled to call the Forty fifth Congress together in extra session October 15, 1877, and the Forty-sixth Congress March 18, 1879, on account of the failure of appropriation bills. The only remaining extra session of Congress was called by President Cleveland and it met August 7, 1893 Its wranglings and dissensions gave the country early and conclusive proof of the failure of the Administration now just closed The nation looks forward with no such apprehension to the thirteenth extra session which convenes to-day at the call of President McKinley

Is Our History Mistaught?

The Brooklyn Standard-Union says All the fools are not yet dead in the South. Some of them in Virginia recently took offense at the remark of Bishop [illegible], of Boston, who, in a sermon at Baltimore last Sunday, [illegible] [illegible]

called the rebel emblem a "disgraceful, abominable and infamous rag"

Thereupon some one, or more, with no better use for their money, spent a sufficient amount of it to buy and express to the Bishop while he was at Roanoke, a specimen of the flag he had condemned, with some high flown typewritten matter about the noblest heroes the world ever produced," etc etc, just as if an attempt to rivet the chains on one's fellow men was an act of heroism The Bishop burned the flag and letter, but incidentally remarked that if, the agitators wished to go farther they might hear from him again

It really isn't worth while, however, to argue with these fellows The only thing there is any use in doing is to see to it that the rising generation is taught to estimate the Confederate struggle at its true value And this recalls the fact that members of the Grand Army of the Republic at the West have lately found reason to complain of the alleged histories of the United States supplied to the public schools in that section They say that these are misleading, that they give pupils no adequate idea of the merits of the war for the preservation of the Union and leave them to infer that one side was as meritorious as the other worse yet, these text books, the veterans say laud the Southern soldiers and belittle the Northern or more properly speaking, the Union armies

Such text books should not be allowed in any public school of the land The Southern authors cannot, perhaps, be blamed for not wanting to bear too hard on the defeated side but to belittle their former opponents belittles their own side And sooner or later the boys and young men must learn the truth Nobody at the North denies that the Southern soldiers fought bravely and stubbornly, but they hold uncompromisingly that the men of the Confederacy were wrong, eternally wrong and the upholders of the Union were right, eternally right Let the Confederacy stay buried, but let there be no misinstruction of the youth of the land regarding i[illegible]

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Passadumkeag Log Driving Company
The annual meeting of the Passadumkeag Log Driving Company will be holden at the office of the Company, Room [illegible] Exchange Block Bangor Me on TUESDAY March 30 1897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of choosing officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting
S H BOARDMAN Clerk
mel [illegible]

KINDERGARTEN
The Spring Term of
Miss Jenny P. Roberts' Kindergarten
will begin on
Monday, March 22, at 270 State Street.
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Harper's Weekly
IN 1897.
[illegible] the [illegible] of 1896 Harper's Weekly will have lived forty years In that time it has participated with all the zeal and power at its command in the great political events of the most interesting and important period in the history of the country and it has spread before its readers the accomplishments of science arts and letters for the instruction of the human mind and the amelioration of human conditions and of manners
What the Weekly has been in its spirit and purpose as these have been manifested principally in its editorial pages it will continue to be. It is impossible to announce with precision all that the Weekly will contain during the year 1897 It would be as easy to announce what is about to happen in the world what triumphs for good government are to be won what advances of the people are to be made what is to be the outcome of the continuous struggle between the spirits of war and peace what is to happen in the far East what is to be the state of Europe two months hence what new marvels of science are to be revealed, or what are to be the achievements of arts and letters, for the Weekly is to be a pictorial record of all this
Cartoons will continue to be a feature
Serial Stories A New England story by Miss Mary E. Wilkins will begin in January A tale of a Greek uprising against the Turks by Mr E F Benson the author of Dodo, will follow A sequel to The House Boat on the Styx by Mr John Kendrick Bangs illustrated by Mr Peter Newell
More Short Stories will appear in the Weekly than it has been possible to publish during 1896
Departments Mr W. D Howells "Life and Letters" have been among the most charming features of periodical literature Mr E S Martin and others will contribute observations on what is going on in This Busy World Amateur Sport will remain the most important department of its kind in the country
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Capital paid up in cash $250,000
Assets December 31 1896
Real estate owned by the company unincumbered	$ [illegible]
Stocks and bonds market value	1,437,[illegible]
Cash in office and in bank	84,[illegible]
Interest due and accrued	[illegible]
Premiums in due course of collection	344,[illegible]
Reinsurance Deposit (Cash in Company's possession)	9,[illegible]
Aggregate of assets actual value	$ [illegible]
Liabilities December 31 1896
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	$[illegible]
Reinsurance fund	1,[illegible]
All other [illegible] including commission etc	[illegible]
Total liabilities, except capital and surplus	$1,[illegible]
Capital actually paid up in cash	250,000 00
Surplus beyond capital	[illegible]
Blake, Barrows & Brown, Bangor Agts.
mar[illegible]

MESSENGER'S NOTICE
OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY
STATE OF MAINE
Penobscot ss March [illegible] A D 1897
This is to give notice that on the ninth day of March A D [illegible] a warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of HANNIBAL A. HATHORN of Bangor in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine adjudged to be an Insolvent debtor on petition of said debtor which petition was filed on the [illegible] day of March A D 1897 to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor to him or for his use and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court Room in Bangor in said County on the [illegible] day of April A D 189[illegible] at 10 o'clock in the forenoon
Given under my hand the date first above written
JAMES F MALONEY Deputy Sheriff
As Messenger of said Court
mel [illegible]

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LARGE, FRESH
SHAD, 25c
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From 10c to 15c per lb.
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Smelts, Pickerel, Cod, Haddock, Bluefish, Salmon, Red Snappers, Mackerel, Whitefish, Newfoundland Herring, New Bloaters, St. John Alewives, Fresh Boiled Lobsters, Nice Finnan Haddies fresh from our smoke house. All kinds of Oysters and Clams opened fresh every day.
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GRANT MONUMENT.

Will Be Formally Delivered on the 27th of April.

President Requested to Notify Other Nations of the Great Event.

New York March 16—Mayor Strong [illegible] the following letter to President McKinley On the 27th day of April the Grant monument association proposes formally to deliver to the [illegible] custody of the city of New York the tomb of Gen Grant, which through the voluntary contributions of upwards of 90 000 citizens it has been [illegible] erect in Riverside Park

The day will be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] four great [illegible] To carry out this purpose some 300 of our most [illegible] citizens have been constituted the Grant Monument Municipal Inaugural committee and have elected me their chairman

In that capacity I [illegible] their instruction I have the honor respectfully to request that you officially bring to the attention of all other nations [illegible] on behalf of the United States of America to invite all foreign governments to [illegible] represented in the naval part of the ceremonies [illegible] participate

[illegible] New York

IN WALL STREET.

Features of the Transactions of Tuesday

New York March 16—Wall street—[illegible] [illegible] strength of these stocks

[illegible]

AN INCREASE SHOWN

In Value of Exports of Merchandise

Washington March 16—The chief of the [illegible] statistics reports that the total [illegible] of the exports of [illegible] from the United States during the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Suits to Oust Insurance Trust from Ohio

Columbus O March 16—Attorney General Monnett has filed in the supreme court his [illegible] suits to oust the insurance trust from Ohio There are [illegible] suits in all, directed against as many companies The attorney general [illegible] the trusts [illegible] [illegible]

The defendants in the suits filed are The Western Assurance Co of Toronto the British America Co of Toronto the Caledonian Insurance Co of [illegible] the [illegible] the Royal Insurance Co of Liverpool the [illegible] Insurance Co of St Paul the Home Insurance Co of New York

[illegible]

A Holiday at Lawrence

Lawrence Mass March 1[illegible]—[illegible] [illegible] St. Patrick [illegible]

May Be Charged with Murder

Concord Mass March 16—W [illegible] Crowley of Maynard [illegible] charged [illegible] [illegible] before the district court this morning His counsel [illegible] Joseph Reed and [illegible] appeared for the government [illegible] [illegible] held in $1000 until March [illegible] [illegible] officers interested in the case

Heavy Gale Off Chatham

Chatham Mass March 16—A very heavy northwest gale accompanied by cold biting blast, was prevailing here this morning The wind had veered a little more northerly and the fleet of [illegible] schooners which anchored off here for shelter last night were getting under way and scudding south Only a very little sail was hoisted and some were going it under bare poles They will strike heavy weather after rounding up at the light ship but it is thought they will go safely into the sound [illegible] vessels were being driven in for shelter [illegible] coasters were coming from the north with only foresails set A [illegible] with three barges which passed here yesterday for Boston was being driven back and will find anchorage here

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FOREIGN NEWS

Blockade of Island of Crete in Effect Tuesday

Reported Massacre of Many Mussulmans Confirmed Other Items

[illegible]

Report of Massacre Confirmed

[illegible]

For a Dry Dock [illegible]

[illegible]

Think [illegible] Strong [illegible]

[illegible]

Greek Infantry Forwarded

[illegible]

Determined Not to Withdraw

[illegible]

These Items [illegible]

[illegible]

A Commissioner [illegible]

[illegible]

More Troops Need[illegible]

[illegible]

British Troops Ordered to Crete

[illegible]

His Actions [illegible]

[illegible]

Conference of [illegible]

[illegible]

Convention of Bicycle Workers

[illegible]

Mr Payne Says He Does not Want Office

Washington March [illegible] [illegible] Payne of Wisconsin [illegible] [illegible]

Death of a Prominent Citizen of Foxcroft

Foxcroft, Me March [illegible] [illegible] Comb an old and respected [illegible] died at his home in Foxcroft [illegible] Monday the result of [illegible] years ago He was [illegible] and the funeral will [illegible] auspices of the [illegible] The deceased was [illegible] years old

Once Rounded Cape Horn in [illegible] Boat

Chatham Mass March [illegible] Capt William [illegible] died [illegible] his daughter [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] who was away on [illegible] resident of Chatham [illegible] followed the sea [illegible] man He once [illegible] small boat

Woodsman Killed at Stacy's Camp

Blanchard, Me March 15 [illegible] Bealtier, of Cape Breton, employed at Stacy's lumber camp on [illegible] as scub line tender, was killed yesterday while loading logs He threw a rope around a rotten stump and the [illegible] stopped a fright, but when a few minutes after, a fellow workman [illegible] around he saw Bealtier lying on the road with his skull stove in by a corner of the stump He was carried to [illegible] at Blanchard, where he died last night. He leaves a wife and child

Well Known Agricultural Writer Dead

Woonsocket R I March 16 [illegible] Steere, a retired lawyer and [illegible] died at his home here this morning of a complication of diseases, in his [illegible] year For thirty years he had [illegible] editorial work on the Providence [illegible] He was well known as a writer on agricultural and horticultural topics and was the author of "Rural notes and notes," a widely quoted department in the Providence Journal a few years ago

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Many a man [illegible] ... He has taken two [illegible] ... Golden Medical Discovery ... blood ... [illegible] ... World's Dispensary Medical Association.

1897

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CHAS HIGHT'S.

FRESH LOT OF
PHILADELPHIA
CAPONS,
First of the season at
FICKETT'S MARKET

RAILROADS.

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS,
In Effect Dec 14, 1896.

GOING EAST.

[illegible] A M—For Stephen Aroostook Co ... points East of Bangor ... Provinces ... Car for ...
5 A M—For Oldtown and all points on ...
[illegible] M—For Oldtown and M ...
4 50 P M—[illegible] B & A R R ...
7 00 P M—For Oldtown and Mattawamkeag

GOING WEST

[illegible] A M—For ... Waterville ... Foxcroft and Moosehead ... Lewiston ... Farmington ... Monson ...
[illegible] M—For Boston via ... Augusta ... Portland and Boston ...
4.25 P M—For ... and Foxcroft and ... via Dexter ... Waterville ...
8 00 P M—Ply Night for Portland and Boston ... connecting for Lewiston ... sleeping cars attached ...
11 25 P M—Express for Portland and Boston ... Portland

BUCKSPORT BRANCH

[illegible] ... Bucksport ... Arrive at Bucksport ... Leave Bucksport ... Arrive ...

MT DESERT BRANCH

[illegible] Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor ... Bar Harbor (steamer) ... Arrive at Bangor ...

SUNDAY TRAINS

[illegible] ... Augusta, Portland ... Portland ... Boston via Augusta ... Rockland ... attached ...

ARRIVALS

[illegible]

[illegible] arrival and departure here at Maine Central Depot ... for Fx ... sight difference about ...

Tickets to all principal points East and West on sale at the Maine Central ... For ... information ... telephone A W Lawson Ticket ...

GEORGE F EVANS
General Manager
[illegible] ... Passenger and Ticket Agent

Bangor & Aroostook RAILROAD.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

IN EFFECT MONDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1896

[illegible] ... Car ... to ... train will leave Bangor

[illegible] A M—[illegible] arriving at Lagrange at ... Brownville ... Norcross ... Smyrna ... Masardis ... Houlton ... Caribou ... Presque Isle ... Fort Fairfield ... Junction ...
[illegible] P M—[illegible] arriving at Brownville ... Greenville ... Dover ... Houlton ... Guilford ... Blanchard ...

ARRIVALS

9 55 A M—[illegible] Greenville 6 30 A M ... Presque Isle ... Fort Fairfield ... Houlton ... Brownville ... Sherman ... Guilford ... Dover ... Fort Fairfield ... Presque Isle ... Masardis ... Smyrna ... Sherman ... Greenville ...

[illegible] M HOUGHTON,
Gen Pass'r & Ticket Agent
[illegible]

STEAMBOATS.

[illegible] Steamship Co.

Resumption of Service at Regular Fares.

Steamer "PENOBSCOT," Capt. Marcus Pierce having been thoroughly overhauled and put in first-class condition, will go onto the route between [illegible] and Bucksport as far as the ice will permit, on Tuesday March [illegible] 1897 and will leave Boston at 5.00 p m on that day and on Tuesdays and Fridays thereafter for Winterport and intermediate landings.

Returning from Bucksport on Mondays and Thursdays at 11.00 a. m.

LOCAL WINTER SERVICE.

Steamer ROCKLAND Capt. E. W. Curtis will leave Rockland ... weather and ice permitting, for Camden, Belfast, [illegible] and Bucksport, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6.00 a. m.

Returning from Bucksport at 6.45 a. m. upon arrival of train from Bangor, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for Camden, ... Camden and Rockland.

HENRY T SANBORN, Agent, Bangor.
WILLIAM H. HILL, General Manager, Boston.

BREWER LOCALS.

Mr George W Fogg, of Portland was in the city yesterday on a short business trip

Miss Anna Skinner has gone to Holden for a visit of a few days with friends there

Mr R P Bradbury is reported as being quite seriously ill at his home on Center street

Postmaster [illegible] B Burr has been confined to the house for a day or two by an attack of illness.

Mr A P Bennett has been appointed janitor of City Hall and has commenced the duties of the position

Mr George W Brimmer who has been lumbering in Mariaville during the winter, has arrived home

Miss Florence Southard, of Orono, is in the city visiting with Mr and Mrs W S Pitler at their home on Washington street

The Republican city committee has organized by the choice of Charles J. Hutchings, [illegible], as chairman and J N [illegible] as secretary

The snow of Sunday made very fair sleighing on the country roads in the neighboring districts and many teams have been in during the past two days

Mr Everett [illegible] Meservey, who has been home from Boston on a short trip occasioned by the death of the late Mrs Henrietta [illegible], has returned to Boston

The old folks' party given at City Hall last evening was largely attended and the evening was very pleasantly passed with dancing and whist and other games [illegible] orchestra furnished music

The funeral of the late Mr A [illegible] of South Brewer, was held from his late residence Tuesday afternoon and was very largely attended Rev James Ramsey, of the Second Congregational church officiated and the bearers were Messrs F H Crastow [illegible] A Sargent, G W Patten and C F Nickerson Hon [illegible] Sargent was in charge of the funeral The interment was made at Oak Hill cemetery

FOOD IN THE ARCTIC

Birds Have No Difficulty Finding It In the Snow

The number of birds that go to the arctic regions to breed is vast beyond conception They go not by thousands but by millions to rear their young on the tundra The cause which attracts them is because nowhere in the world does nature provide at the same time and in the same place such a lavish prodigality of food That the barren swamp of the tundra should yield a food supply so great as to tempt birds to make journeys of thousands of miles to rear their young in a land of plenty only to be found [illegible] the arctic circle seems incredible The vegetation consists of cranberry, cloudberry and crowberry bushes Forced by the perpetual sunshine of the arctic summer these bear enormous crops of fruit. But the crop does not ripen until the middle and end of the arctic summer and if the fruit eating birds had to wait until it was ripe they would starve for they arrive on the very day of the melting of the snow But [illegible] the snow descends [illegible] crop of ripe fruit before the birds have time to gather it It is then preserved beneath the snow perfectly fresh and [illegible] and thousands of the snow [illegible] the bushes with [illegible] years crop hanging on them or lying ready to be eaten on the ground. The frozen meal stretches across the breadth of Asia. It never decays and it is accessible the moment the snow melts Ages have taught the birds that they have only to fly to the arctic circle to find such a store of [illegible] foods as will last them till the [illegible] forced into being by the perpetual sunlight The [illegible] fruit brings into being the prolific insect life in the world The mosquitoes which [illegible] Europe [illegible] without [illegible] afterthought [illegible] The [illegible] them, and the [illegible] hunt [illegible] mosquitoes [illegible] swarms of ten [illegible] chiff chaffs, pipits and wagtails in this arctic region is accounted for.—New York Evangelist.

[illegible] By Peaceful Soul.

"Did you [illegible] of the footpad?" asked the [illegible] who was stooping over the insensible victim and examining his injuries

"Yes [illegible]" answered the man whose timely arrival had scared the murderous villain away "He was a tough looking fellow a little taller than I am and wore chin whiskers"

The [illegible] shuddered [illegible] and moved his lips [illegible] was returning

"Strictly speaking" the policeman heard him mutter feebly "there is no such thing as chin whiskers Whiskers grow on the cheeks He wore a chin beard"

Then the Boston man became unconscious again —Chicago Tribune.

Wholesale Produce Market

Corrected semi weekly by the Grocers Association

WEDNESDAY March [illegible]

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh [illegible] pounds

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes in good order and fit for shipping is 60 pounds

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds Of wheat beets ruta baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds of corn 56 pounds of onions 52 pounds of carrots English turnips rye and Indian meal 50 pounds of barley and buckwheat 48 pounds of oats 32 pounds or even measure as by agreement

Country Produce

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye ♥ bush	1 25 1 35
Pea, hand picked ♥ bush	1 25 1 35
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll ♥ lb	18@20c
Fair to good	16@17c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory ♥ lb (new)	12@13c
Best Dairy ♥ lb (new)	14c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung ♥ lb	4@5c
Choice sliced	7@8c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ♥ doz	17@18c
HAY—	
Best loose ♥ ton	15 00
PEAS—	
Improved ♥ bush	2 25
Best Canada, whole	1 10@1 25
POTATOES—	
New ♥ bu	35@40c
POULTRY—	
Chickens Spring ♥ lb	15@20c
ONIONS—	
♥ Barrel	75@2 00

Retail Prices Current

SALT—	
Bangor ground in boxes, ♥ box	30c
English-butter salt in 14lb bags ♥ bag	25c
In 56 lb bags	75c
Liverpool ♥ bush	50c
Turks Island	30c
HERRING—	
English scaled, in boxes, ♥ box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels ♥ lb	17@20c
London layers	25@30c
S [illegible]	15@18c
CURRANTS—	
Bar[illegible] ♥ lb	10@12c
KEROSENE OIL—	
150 test ♥ gallon	13c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ♥ gallon	25@30c
Pure W W	30c
OATS	30c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall, ♥ barrel	5 50@5 75
Best St Louis	5 75
Good family	5 50
CORN—	
Full weight	37c
CORN MEAL—	
50 lbs. to bushel	36c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs.	1 15
SHORTS—	
St Louis bran, in sacks	[illegible]
Spring wheat, ♥ hundred	75c
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ♥ hundred	[illegible]
Coarse	[illegible]
GLUTEN MEAL	[illegible]
FEED FLOUR	[illegible]
WHEAT	[illegible]
[illegible]	
OATMEAL—	
[illegible]	[illegible]

FIRE RECORD.

Blaze in Lumber Drying Establishment

Boston March 16—The old Bay State Glass house building, a three story brick structure on Bridge street, Cambridge occupied by Geo E Baxter, as a lumber drying kiln, was burned this morning and its contents practically ruined loss $25,000 partially insured. L G Burnham's coal sheds and wharves abut on the glass house were in great danger but were saved with only a slight scorching

Caught from Defective Chimney

Somersworth, N H March 16 The Woodward block, on Market street, caught fire this morning The top story was burned and the stocks of goods in the stores were badly damaged The fire is supposed to have caught from a defective chimney

THE PUGILISTS

Latest Reports from Carson City.

Carson City Nev March 16—A period of less than 24 hours remains before the greatest pugilistic encounter of the century will be decided in the arena which has made the state of Nevada a focus for the interest of the sporting fraternity throughout the world Although opinions [illegible] as to the result of the fight differ there is no doubt whatever, in the minds of those who have traveled from east and west to see the contest that both the Californian and the Australian are in the very best of condition

Corbett trainers speak enthusiastically of the condition of their man Charley White Corbett's chief adviser, said to a reporter of the United Associated Press today "Jim is in perfect shape His muscle is wonderfully developed and he was never better at any stage of his career

The general opinion is that Fitzsimmons is a bit on the light side and he will [illegible] to put on weight However this may be there is one thing certain and that is that the Australian is physically as near perfection as any man who ever entered the ring

Corbett's morning exercise today was very light and consisted merely of foot work in the gymnasium A couple of games of handball with Jim Daly of the Brooklyn N Y expert and a little bag punching

At Cook's ranche the [illegible] was [illegible] Fitzsimmons' [illegible] few sprints around the yard a playful frolic with [illegible] and a still more [illegible] the [illegible] of the champion [illegible]

[illegible] The platform [illegible] which was [illegible] The platform [illegible] to the ropes of which there are [illegible] the ring [illegible] The gong is in position [illegible] of the ring

The Betting at San Francisco

San Francisco Cal March 16—Quite a contingent of sporting left for Carson last night and a couple of hundred more are booked for the ring side today One [illegible] sent in a commission yesterday of $[illegible] [illegible] Fitzsimmons to bring in $1000 at Corbett's pool rooms

Betting varied a little last night [illegible] sent $8 against $10 [illegible] dropped to $7 50 against $10 [illegible] The favorite [illegible] Corbett [illegible] $1,000 [illegible] on the coming fights

HORSES ON TRACK

Cause a Bad Wreck on the Missouri Pacific

Hiawatha Kansas March 16 Five horses on the track ditched the north bound Missouri Pacific passenger train yesterday The engine baggage car and two coaches were wrecked The injured are Engineer Edward [illegible] Fireman Lawrence O'Connor and [illegible] Atchison, a traveling salesman The injured are B I Bacon traveling passenger agent for the Santa Fe H A Kemp express messenger John Appleton, baggage master, N M Aster [illegible], Oklahoma and [illegible] Piper of Kansas City

FRIGHTFUL DEATH

Woman Fatally Burned—Others Have Narrow Escapes

Chicago March 16 Barbara Newman was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of her uncle, Wm Spier No 3633 Vernon avenue last night Her cousin Rose Maville jumped from a second story window after being badly burned and was seriously injured in the fall Mr Spier an invalid, was rescued with difficulty while his wife and sister were slightly burned in saving the four children of the family

An Old Time Minstrel Dead

Boston March 16—George H Coes the old time minstrel died at his residence in Cambridge this morning He had been a sufferer for many years from an attack of paralysis His wife who had nursed him during his long illness was at his bedside when he passed away George H Coes was born in Providence R I in 1828 [illegible] went to California where he met [illegible] and together they formed the famous Backus minstrels

He next went to New York and joined the minstrels subsequently reorganizing the Backus minstrels who made a trip to China in 1871 he became associated with Luke Schoolcraft and the famous pair played together for many years

Mr Coes' home has been in Cambridge since 1871 His partner Schoolcraft had lived in an adjoining house up to the time of his death

Planting of Food Crops Necessary

Augusta Ga, March 16—At the meeting of the American cotton growers protective association here yesterday President Hector D Lane of Alabama who presided and ex Senator Patrick Walsh in [illegible] addresses [illegible] resolutions adopted [illegible]

An increase of area planted in food crops must inevitably bring prosperity to the cotton growers irrespective of the size of the cotton crop There has never been a time in our history that a movement looking to the increased production of corn hay, oats hogs and other food crops was so important [illegible] necessary

Mass Meeting of Cretan Sympathizers

St Louis, Mo March 16 A mass meeting of sympathizers with Crete and the Greeks filled Entertainment Hall at the Exposition building last evening Greek Consul Jannopouli called the meeting to order and General John W Noble was made chairman Rev Dr Nicolls of the Second Presbyterian church, City Comptroller Isaac N Sturgeon, and General Noble made addresses The meeting pledged substantial aid in a series of resolutions and the first steps were taken to provide transportation for volunteers

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure 25c

The Keeley Institute, Deering, Maine, promotes practical temperance by curing the nervous weakness on which indulgence in alcohol, morphine, tobacco, etc depends Incidental to the Keeley treatment many diseases and nervous troubles caused by these addictions are cured and the general condition is thoroughly built up strengthened and invigorated

It's wonderful how much health has to do with married happiness Sickness affects the temper You can't be happy nor make others happy if you're ailing When you find yourself irritable, easily worried, beginning to "run-down" it's because your blood is getting poor You need richer blood and more of it. Your blood-making organs need to be vitalized by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery It imparts new power to produce an abundance of healthy red corpuscles, and gives you a fresh supply of pure, rich blood It's a blood-creator, it is for everyone whose blood is impure or in a poor, "run-down" condition It prevents the germs of disease from getting a hold on your system. Even after disease is settled on you, it is driven out by the blood-creating properties of the "Discovery." It is a perfect cure for general and nervous debility, catarrh, malaria, eczema, erysipelas, scrofula and every form of blood-disease It isn't called a consumption-cure but even consumption, —which has its roots in the blood—is driven out by the "Golden Medical Discovery" if taken in time. The "Discovery" is the prescription of one of the most eminent physicians and medical [illegible] in this country.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Official Trial Trips Ordered

Washington, March 16 Secretary Long has issued orders for the official acceptance trial of the gunboats Wilmington and Helena in Long Island Sound over the 27 knot measured course off New London next Monday and Tuesday The Wilmington will leave Hampton Roads on Saturday and the Helena on Sunday for Long Island Sound The Wilmington will make her trial trip on the 22d and the Helena on the 23d

The Iowa to be Tried Off New England Coast

Washington, March 16 The new battleship Iowa will be docked at New York the 20th inst, her builders expecting to make her ready in a day or two for her official trial which is set for April 3, off the New England coast

PENSIONS GRANTED

Additional to Residents of Maine

Washington, March 16 The following pensions have been granted additional to residents of Maine

Original Ambrose H Stover, Bluehill, Wm B Higgins West Bowdoin Increase Moses Harriman, Fryeburg Original, widow Maggie A Simmons Rockland

House and Stable Burned

Springvale Me, March 16 The house and stable of A C Boothby were burned at 5 o'clock this morning The fire was caused by the fall of a lamp The fire apparatus was out of order and did poor service Loss, $3,000, insurance $1,000

Inauguration Day at Somersworth N H

Somersworth N H March 16 The inaugural exercises of Mayor B [illegible] Hanson and the city council were held at city hall this forenoon [illegible] Rowan was elected city clerk and [illegible] Shapleigh clerk of common council

Order for American Steel Rails Creates Comment

Montreal March 16 [illegible] the first time since the completion of the Intercolonial, which [illegible] government, an American firm has received an order for a supply of steel rails and the fact is more or less commented upon in trade circles All the English firms made tenders but the Maryland Steel Company's tender has been accepted

Expect About Forty Indictments

Portsmouth, N H March 16 The March session of the United States court [illegible] It is expected that the jury will return about forty indictments [illegible] several days

A Sailor's Fatal Fall

[illegible] N H March 16 A [illegible] was killed [illegible] this morning [illegible] was brought [illegible]

Buttler's Appeal Denied

San Francisco March 16 Judge Morrow of the United States circuit court has denied the application made by Butler the alleged Australian murderer for an appeal to the supreme court of the United States

A House Boat Wrecked

Vanceburg, Ky March 16 A family that settled in the vicinity Sunday was found wrecked in the river yesterday When last seen two men and two women were on the boat Clothing furniture [illegible] were found along the bank A diary that [illegible] the boat [illegible] the name of [illegible] Shutt, of Ravenswood W Va

Expect an Increase in Duty on Lumber

Ottawa Ont March 16 The prospective increase in lumber duties by the United States Congress has had a marked effect on the Canadian lumber trade, dealers being almost unable to meet the demand from the American buyers

STEAMER DAUNTLESS

Secretary of the Treasury Wants Opinion of Attorney General

Washington March 1[illegible] The secretary of the treasury has asked the attorney general for an opinion as to the legality of granting a request made by the owner of the alleged filibustering steamer Dauntless [illegible] to clear for a Cuban port but it will be necessary to state the situation in the [illegible]

[illegible] for Bermuda [illegible] under the conditions governing the [illegible] [illegible] the navigation [illegible] of the condition [illegible]

Nominations by the President

Washington March 16 The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations

To be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States John Hay of the District of Columbia to Great Britain, Horace Porter of New York to France Henry White of Rhode Island to be secretary of the embassy of the United States to Great Britain

Overcome by Horror of Son's Suffering

Wilkesbarre Pa March 16 John Cramer a 10 years old boy living at Duryea died yesterday from hydrophobia the result of being bitten by a rabid dog The boy's suffering were terrible just before his death that his father, Jacob Cramer was overcome by the horror of the scene and dropped dead at his son's bedside

Telegraphic Notes

Schooner Wm H Parks arrived at Portsmouth, N H Monday from Philadelphia Saturday night off Cape Cod the vessel ran into a hurricane and had jib, foretopsail and gaff blown away

A band of Albanians from Usukub, a town some 25 miles south of the Servian frontier, have pillaged six villages in the vicinity of Usukub and burned three others In their attacks on the villages they shot 35 persons Later the Albanians crossed the Servian frontier with the evident intention of continuing their marauding in Servian territory. They were met by a force of Servian gendarmes and repulsed after a struggle in which a number on both sides were killed or wounded The Turkish government has sent troops to deal with the predatory Albanians

The village of Kissamo westward of Canea is in ruins from the bombardment of the insurgents and fires which followed the bombardment The fort guarding the village is intact although the insurgents have been firing upon it nearly four days The garrison consists of only a company of Turkish infantry, but they are gallantly defending the position It is probable they will eventually be compelled, by a scarcity of provisions and ammunition, to surrender unless assistance is given them by the foreign warships There is a complete absence of authority there and in certain districts anarchy prevails In some places the marauders are in complete possession and are pillaging and outraging to their hearts' content.

Secretary of the Interior Bliss Tuesday appointed Forest Raynor, of Brooklyn, N Y, his private secretary.

The loss by Monday night's fire at St Louis will reach $1,550,000, insured [illegible]

The Phenix Savings Bank, of Phenix, R I, suspended payment Monday afternoon and refused deposits for the first time in its history.—This bank has been the favorite depository for people of the whole Pawtuxet Valley. The [illegible] of several [illegible] [illegible]

CITY AND VICINITY.

Charitably inclined people in the town of Garland recently held two wood bees while the would bes in town sat at home moping

Southwest Harbor did not need last year a appropriation for a new lockup They waited for an inmate before attempting to build

The Fort Fairfield woman who [illegible] took a large pane of glass for an open door immediately concluded that one is never too old to learn and that experience is a dear teacher

"Our air" writes a Cape Rozier correspondent is so bracing a woman lately went high and turned several somersaults before landing on terra firma" The Cape Roz erites should sand their sidewalks The women who meet with such experiences should organize a village improvement society

A Sunday school teacher called one Sunday upon one of her pupils who was unable to attend church that day and found her playing what she termed "school" The visitor reminded her that she ought only to play Sunday school on the Sabbath The maiden's diplomatic answer came quick as a flash "Why we were playing it is Sunday"

A Maine alderman thinks he has a better method for collecting taxes than any in use He contends that where the city allows a discount for early payment the greater part of the taxes comes in without any extra effort on the part of the collector and the other part usually goes over to the next year Instead of paying a collector a salary for doing little he would put the comparatively small part of the taxes remaining unpaid at the expiration of the discount period in the hands of several well known bill collectors and pay them a commission thus saving a considerable of the expense and clearing up the taxes every year

Ellsworth's new mayor proposes to put into operation the following arrangement for work upon the highways He proposes to divide the roads of the city into four or five districts, possibly by wards In each of these districts he will have a foreman, who will be suggested by the alderman from each district with the understanding that he will, as far as possible give to taxpayers who wish to do so an opportunity to work out their taxes The money appropriated for roads will be apportioned to the various districts in proportion to the taxes paid by each district The foreman will be required to make monthly reports to the board of aldermen of work done and money expended In this way [illegible] districts [illegible] general supervision over the streets and the [illegible] In a [illegible] the [illegible] with good [illegible] It has not been tested however

CITY REPORTS.

Report of Board of Health

Bangor, Me March 1897

To the City Council of Bangor

Gentlemen—The Board of Health presents the following report for the year ending March 1st, 1897

The Board organized May 12th 1896 Galen M Woodcock M D, was chosen chairman and John Goldthwait secretary The Board has held many informal conferences and such regular meetings as occasion required Our work has been about the same as in previous years The amount of work accomplished however this year has been greater than ever before

Our management of infectious diseases is the same as formerly The cause of death from such diseases is the natural [illegible] strictly private, without publicity [illegible] We have one of Prof Robinson's new disinfecting lamps called the Formic Aldehyde Generator, to use in cases of infectious diseases which we think is a great improvement over the old way of sulphur fumigation and very much more safe It takes but four hours with this lamp to fumigate a room and we feel when we get through with it that the disease germs are all killed and that the room is safe to use This lamp has been thoroughly tested and has proved all that they claim for it

The physicians are very prompt indeed in reporting the contagious diseases

The number of deaths from illnesses for the year ending January 1st, 1897 is 401 the death rate being about 18 or [illegible] which is very small

There have been this year seven cases of diphtheria with two deaths twenty [illegible] cases of scarlet fever with two deaths—these last cases were mostly in a [illegible] form [illegible] fifty five cases of typhoid fever with [illegible] deaths have been reported to the board

Only twenty four schoolrooms have had any contagious disease The pest house has been used but once this year and that was for a case of diphtheria—a man that came here on the Boston boat on Saturday and was thrown on our hands Monday sick and had to be taken there for treatment A woman came here in May from Ellsworth sick with diphtheria and lived but a few days so we had only five cases of diphtheria with one death, this year as two of the cases did not originate in Bangor

We are pleased to note that since our last report, 4 810 feet of new sewer have been laid and that a large number of house and sink drains have been connected with the sewers Four hundred new water closets connected with the public sewers have been made and put in this year which will do away with some two hundred earth closets or privys

Of the new sewers built this year from a sanitary standpoint, the extension of the so called Carr brook sewer was the most important About 1 150 feet were built which was a great improvement We hope the incoming city government will see that this sewer is extended to Pine street from Date street We would call your attention to the need of sewers on Pearl street, running north from Garland street, also on the upper end of Date and Palm streets These streets are quite thickly settled and are very much in need of drainage A sewer is very much needed on Main street, running north from the Pin Bridge a few hundred feet, also on Main street on the east side near Larkin and Sidney streets These places need your attention very much These sewers are not expensive and we hope to see them built this year

We would again call your attention to the need of something being done in the way of drainage for the property on the north corner of Broad and Union streets This is a bad place and should be attended to this spring A sewer should be provided so a number of old privys could be removed and by so doing the place could be kept clean As it is now it cannot be kept clean

Through this report we earnestly request every citizen to interest himself in the sanitary condition of his own premises and early in the spring to see that they are properly cleaned All decaying matter and everything that may cause sickness should be removed.

We gladly take this opportunity to thank all citizens and particularly the physicians for the cordial support which they have given us in the performance of our duties, also the city council and city officials for their uniform kindness

GALEN M. WOODCOCK M D,
DANIEL MCCANN, M D,
JOHN GOLDTHWAIT,
Board of Health

Report of the Truant Officer

To the City Council of Bangor

I herewith respectfully report the following work in the Truancy Department during the past municipal year:

Scholars looked up and parents or guardians interviewed, where the result was subsequent attendance	364
Scholars arrested and taken to school room directly	90
Scholars prosecuted and sent to House of Correction	2
Scholars prosecuted and sent to Reform School during minority	1

The 364 cases reported above do not represent that number of different individuals; some of them are looked up and given a new trial many times, while others are temporarily detained and do better afterwards.

Strict attention to the duties of this office are of grave importance, as there [illegible] requires constant vigilance to keep them in their places

Respectfully,
JOHN GOLDTHWAIT
Truant Officer

Vanceboro News

Our correspondent writes Mrs William Kelley, of Vanceboro, returned last week from Oldtown, where she spent a short time visiting friends

Mrs R Letart, wife of R Letart, station agent at Fort Fairfield and two children are in Vanceboro visiting Mr and Mrs F A Little

Miss Annie Knight, of Vanceboro, school teacher at Lambert [illegible] is in Danforth visiting friends

Mr Everett Dixon manager for the M C R R Co at Vanceboro, spent a day in Mattawamkeag last week on business

Mr W Gibbs, of the United States customs department located at Vanceboro, spent last Sunday at his home in Glendburn

A very pleasant affair last Saturday evening in Vanceboro was the marriage of Miss Maud Dickinson daughter of Mr William Dickinson of the M C R R to Mr William Bagley, of Portland

Mr Whitfield Robinson, agent for the M C R R Co at Vanceboro the past two years will shortly vacate that position the change being made for the purpose of curtailing expenses Mr Bradford Kingston, at present clerk in the freight office and Mr Reed, now ticket agent together will do the work now done by Mr Robinson and still hold the positions they now occupy there.

Mr Alfred Cobb of Vanceboro is one of Vanceboro's smart young men Though not much in practice with an axe he cut two and a half cords of wood in one day last week He also sawed three cords of wood in one day not long ago

Uniform rank Knights of Pythias Riverside Company No 20 of Vanceboro, gave a supper at their rooms last Thursday evening March 11th There was a first class supper served and it goes without saying that the boys had a fine time

Mr John A Grant of Vanceboro will in a few days begin repairs on his boat, so to have her fitted up in time to resume the same business as last summer that of carrying passengers to and from Palfrey stream

HE MADE A MISTAKE

And Didn't Mend Matters a Bit When He Discovered It

The [illegible] young man who was shown into the [illegible] was [illegible] the old gentleman who had lived in a state of anxiety for years lest some one would marry his charming daughter for her money Al young man [illegible] under suspicion with [illegible] particularly [illegible] with [illegible] appearance The caller intended to observe the proprieties by introducing himself but the host said in his stiff business tone.

"What can I do for you sir?"

"I came to tell you sir that I have asked your daughter—"

"Just as I expected," was snorted back. "It pretty tough when a man of affairs at my time of life has to put in half his time telling young whippersnappers that they can't have that girl of mine There's the most mercenary lot of men just coming into active life that I have ever [illegible] I'd better give my fortune to some charitable institution You can't have her."

"Perhaps if I should explain —"

"There's nothing to explain I've heard it all a hundred times I know I have [illegible] Of course you love her You can't live without her You have no [illegible] but you're educated [illegible] and will shield her from all trouble You will—"

"Just to shield you from a little pressure and embarrassment I will inform you that I am not in the least in love with your daughter"

"What in thunder did you propose to her for then? How do you then have the gall to come in here and tell me that you want my daughter when you are not in love with her and not expect to get kicked out? Why you—"

"Break away papa!" laughed the vision of loveliness who hurried into the room "That old gentleman is visiting at Mrs. Winton's and he is arranging her private theatricals for her I asked him to take a part and I referred him to you"

The old gentleman glared hopelessly for a full minute and in his confusion said brokenly

"Take her—I [illegible] her."—Detroit Free Press

The Sultan and Electricity

The sultan is said to have a curious mingled liking for and dread of electricity Mr Bergin tells in Cassell's Magazine that [illegible] to be erected in the grounds of Yildiz Kiosk a small theater lighted by incandescent lamps One day he saw the workmen [illegible] the walls in order to bury the wires leading from the engine room to the theater and stopped the work insisting that the wires should all be placed in sight on poles as he feared that otherwise they might be used to produce an explosion He had also a small electric boat on a small lake in the grounds which is driven by electricity, and a tiny electrical tramcar, upholstered in blue satin and gold, which runs in a circle It is said that he has never [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] hidden the [illegible] conspiracies should [illegible] over the wires

Tree Planting In Sweden

About 600,000 trees are annually planted by Swedish school children under the guidance of their teachers.—Pittsburg Dispatch

The principal [illegible] of the Dutch in the war with Alva was found in the character of their country Small bastions long curtains [illegible] very wide ditch [illegible] were the characteristics of a Dutch fortification.

A wagon load of mortar will fill about 80 hods.

MAINE MELANGE.

Secret Club for Boys Suddenly Ended at Saco

Other Items of Interest from Different Sections.

Androscoggin

A I Goss of A I & T T Goss, of Lewiston died suddenly Monday evening He has been kept from business by illness for several months

Cumberland

Rev Walter M S Lowell formerly of Portland, who got into trouble during his Baptist pastorate at Kennebunk, has abandoned his plan to get back into the ministry at Boston He had enlisted the sympathy of Rev Dr Lorimer, of Tremont Temple who made an endeavor to clear the stigma from the young clergyman's name A volley of letters was sent by prominent Maine Baptists however warning the Tremont Temple people from harboring or trusting him A letter just received from an officer of Tremont Temple says they are following this advice Mr Lowell has gone West and will seek a livelihood in some other calling than the ministry

Saturday afternoon's jigger ran into the carriage of W F Welch, a Yarmouth selectman as he was riding in Portland Mr Welch's little boy, who was with him, was thrown out and over and rendered unconscious He was severely bruised about the head and his teeth were driven through the upper lip The driver of the jigger drove away without trying to learn the result of the collision

An inebriated man in the Portland police station on Saturday evening removed all his clothes and set fire to them to burn the snakes with which he was haunted The police smelled the smoke in time to extinguish the fire

Hancock

At a meeting of the Ellsworth city government Monday afternoon John F Doyle was reappointed chief engineer of the fire department and Judge Andrew P Wiswell was chosen a member of the board of trustees of the city library The appropriations amounted to $41,000

Knox

Ephraim [illegible], a highly respected resident of Chelsea was found dead in bed from heart disease Saturday morning, at the home of his daughter, Mrs William [illegible] Mr [illegible] was [illegible] years old and had run the Hallowell and Chelsea ferry for 15 years

Somerset

Madison had but one death for the five months ending March 1 1897

Waldo

Ira B Nortley has resigned as deputy warden of the State prison who [illegible] resides [illegible] will [illegible] Belfast [illegible] clothing store

York

In the Essex county, Mass, probate court Monday the will of Gideo Waldron, of South Berwick, Me, was proved

A Saco woman who evidently believes that if boys should begin at the [illegible] thought her son smoked and one night she quietly followed him to a secret club and burst in the door to find the boys [illegible] playing cards and [illegible] cigarette smoke [illegible] the [illegible] minutes then she dropped on her knees and began to pray [illegible] young man [illegible] habit of smoking and chewing The [illegible] jumped to her feet and for five minutes gave the boys the greatest lecture of their lives She said she would tell the parents of every boy there [illegible] her own son she would [illegible] the club has bust[ed]

FLOYD'S FIRE

Unkind Comments of a Skeptical Technical Journal

The Cincinnati Enquirer is responsible for the statement that a substance has been discovered which is practically an unquenchable fire, says Electricity It describes it as of the consistency of paste, harmless while in a quiet state but blazing forth with a blue and unquenchable flame of the greatest intensity by the slightest friction It says

There is no explosion or rapid spreading of flames but a strange pasty substance composed of living fire which cannot be stamped out or killed in any known way The cost of making this liquid fire is so small that it can be easily used instead of coal in heating a furnace But the most valuable properties are those which are absolutely foreign to fire as known to us All forms of heat except that of electricity must be generated in some kind of furnace and be constantly supplied with fuel but this fire is both furnace and fuel in itself This wonderful fire can be utilized in the kitchen and stoves can be dispensed with altogether as only a pan is necessary In order to fry anything it is only necessary to hang the pan from a wire and smear over the bottom with a spoonful of the liquid So that the cook of the future can take her fire out into the country

Of its practical uses there is no end, for the subject is yet in its infancy

The name of the inventor of this paste is given as Floyd but what Floyd is is not stated nor is it stated that the paste is an electric product except by implication That implication is so strong, however that we are irresistibly forced to the conclusion that it is either concentrated electricity itself or is a product of electricity

We are always very careful ourselves not to make any statements not fully supported by unquestioned and undoubtable [illegible] controvertible facts and do not wish to be misleading Now Circumstantial evidence is sometimes as convincing as any that is more direct and is often more difficult to controvert, and the evidence at hand that the unquenchable fire is what we assert it to be is none other than the statement that it is "still in its infancy

We do not see, however that Floyd's fire is anything remarkable It is stated that to fry anything it is only necessary to hang the pan from a wire and smear over the bottom with a spoonful of the liquid" and that "the cook of the future can take her fire into the country

That is quite commonplace but if the stuff would hang itself from a wire in a pan and take the cook out into the country, or the pan would hang the spoon on its bottom and smear the cook over the country, or the spoon should wire the cook that the fire was smeared over its bottom—if it was possible we should say any of these things about it, then we should say that Floyd's deathless fire was out of the ordinary and likely to be useful

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3 cans for [illegible]	

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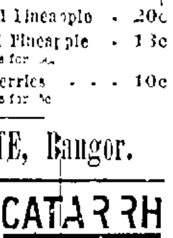

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LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Railroads, Telegraphs and Expresses will give a public hearing in Railroad Commissioners' office, at Augusta, Wednesday, March 17, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the petition of Alfred Lenox and eight others to incorporate the Wiscasset and Moosehead Lake Telegraph and Telephone Company.

Wednesday, March 17, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the petition of A. S. C. Hall and 48 others of Madison and Skowhegan for extension of charter of the Skowhegan and Athens Railroad Company.

mch11 JOHN M. KALER, Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Taxation will give a public hearing in its room at Augusta, March 23, 1897, at two o'clock p. m., on the Act to amend Section 81 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes relating to taxes on stocks of banks and other corporations.

By order of Committee.

WILBUR C. WHEELDEN, Secretary.

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Per order,

T. S. MOOR, Clerk.

Bangor, March 17, 1897. eowcopy

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The children can sip from papa's or mamma's coffee cup, if it happens to contain Postum and their little bodies will grow round and fat under the nourishment of the pure grains, but it is a heartless proceeding to feed the tender bodies on coffee, as everyone knows the puny, sickly looks of coffee drinking children.

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PROPOSALS

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Sealed proposals for printing the annual reports of the city of Bangor, from local printers, will be received at the City Clerk's office. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk, and all bids to be submitted on or before Monday, the 22d inst., at 10 o'clock a. m.

VICTOR BRETT,

City Clerk.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

The French Club will hold its next meeting on Saturday, March 20, at 3.30 p. m. with Mrs. James Crosby, 48 Elm street.

The degree team of Katahdin Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Bangor, was present at the meeting of Oldtown Encampment last night.

Dr. H. D. Worth, of East Corinth, sold last week his fast pacing colt, Agnes W, by Claynos, by Onward dam by Gen. Withers, to Boston parties, for a good price.

A party composed of Mr. J. M. Swett, Mr. A. P. Baker, Col. A. B. Farnham, Mr. N. E. Bragg and others, left Tuesday afternoon for a few days' stay at S. C. Higgins' camp, near Costigan.

Gen. J. L. Chamberlain lectured on Friday evening at Clark's Hall, Caribou, under the auspices of Co. L, 2d Infantry, N. G. S. M. A good audience greeted him and old soldiers from Connorsville, sixty miles away, Ashland and Fort Fairfield were present.

James Duffy, of Machiasport, claims that he has regained the lost art of tempering copper for edged tools and other purposes. He has made a hammer and also a chisel so hard that a file has but little impression upon them, yet they stand without breaking.

There will be a special meeting of King's Daughters this afternoon, at 3 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. lecture room. All King's Daughters of the city, whether members of the Union or not, are requested to attend this meeting, which is one of great importance.

The yards about the pulp mill of the Penobscot Chemical Fibre Company are being filled with stock, in the shape of poplar four feet in length. Over 400 cars of this pulp wood were received by this company over the Bangor & Aroostook railroad last month.

Before the polo game at Augusta Monday night there was a roller skating race for a purse of $25, between Dick Phillips, of Augusta, and F. G. Taylor, of Bangor. The former won by three laps. They skated 28 laps to the mile, the winner covering the two miles in about 10 minutes.

While coasting Monday, Willie Snow, the nine-years-old son of Alonzo Snow, of North Brooksville, was run into by the sled of one of his playmates, the sharp nose of the sled making a wound in the boy's throat and breaking open his windpipe. The boy is in a critical condition.

At Grace M. E. church last evening a Bible reading was given by the pastor, and there will be another this evening. On Thursday evening the monthly young people's social will be held, and on Friday evening the Rev. E. H. Boynton will conduct the business of the fourth quarterly conference.

Among the new lines to be constructed by the New England Telephone Company this spring are the following: A line from Pittsfield to Hartland; one from Skowhegan to Bingham, and probably through to Pat Murphy's place on Dead river, about 65 miles from Skowhegan; and a line from Newport to Dexter.

The senior class of the East Maine Conference Seminary has elected officers as follows: President, Ralph N. Knight, Deer Isle; vice-president, Belle Buck, Orland; secretary, Grace Pendleton, Islesboro; treasurer, Oscar Barnard, Orland. The class has about the average number of members this year. The graduation exercises will be held on June 2.

A despatch received in this city announces that Albert E. Maine, who belongs in Massachusetts, but has recently resided in Bangor, was killed in Boston Monday. No particulars were given and nothing further has been received regarding the case. He was a brother-in-law of Charles F. Johns, proprietor of the Oriental lunch rooms on Exchange street.

Governor Powers and Hon. P. O. Vickery visited the Maine Insane Hospital at Augusta Monday, says the Kennebec Journal, and had a consultation with the superintendent and treasurer, after which it was decided to change the resolve before the Legislature from $17,500 to $15,000 a year for two years, the same to go to build the new power house and coal pocket, leaving the tramway to be provided for in the future.

The funeral services of Mrs. W. F. Reed, wife of the late Sheriff Reed, were held Tuesday afternoon at her late residence on Cumberland street, and there was a large attendance of friends. The floral display was beautiful. Among it was an artistic design from the Elks. Rev. E. F. Pember, pastor of the Universalist church, officiated and the Apollo Quartette sang several selections. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. F. Cook, Chief of Police L. W. Gilman, M. A. Sinclair and Ambrose Fogg. Mr. A. P. Chick had charge of the funeral.

A Milo correspondent writes as follows concerning the Medford fatality previously reported: Sunday afternoon, as Fred Sargent, of Medford, in this county, was handling a rifle, the weapon was discharged sending a bullet through his heart, killing him instantly. All of the family except his grandmother were attending Sabbath school a half mile away when the sad affair happened, but were quickly apprised of what had taken place and reached home as soon as possible, only to find the young man dead. The deceased was twenty-one years of age, and an exemplary young man, who will be much missed in the community where he has resided a number of years. He was the son of George A. Sargent, who came to that town several years ago from Massachusetts.

Monday night, Winfield J. Hudson, a Maine Central brakeman, who is known in Bangor, had both legs crushed, while shackling cars in the Maine Central freight yards in Portland. He stepped between two freight cars to pull the pin out which held them together, the cars moving slowly at the time, when he slipped on the ice between the rails and fell under the wheels. Before the train could be stopped both wheels of the car had passed over his legs. The right leg was crushed below the knee, while the left leg was badly crushed just above the knee and broken in several places. Hudson is 25 years old and boarded at Bradley's Corner. He has been in the employ of the Maine Central for about five years. He is unmarried, but has a mother and grandmother living. The young man displayed great courage and bore the pain most pluckily. Hudson was very much liked by his fellow workmen. His recovery is doubtful.

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That [illegible] feeling is due to bad [illegible]

The first lecture in the Theological Seminary Bond course will occur in the Hammond street church on Friday evening.

The Opera House will not be opened to-day for the prize fight returns as intended, the plans having been changed last evening.

Next Friday evening, Mr. George F. Lull, of the Penobscot Chemical Fibre Company, will speak upon the process of converting wood into pulp and fibre for paper, at the Y. M. C. A. building and many will doubtless attend, as the talk will be of much interest.

Sealed proposals for printing the annual reports of the city of Bangor, from local printers, will be received at the city clerk's office. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the city clerk, and all bids to be submitted on or before Monday, the 22nd inst., at ten o'clock a. m.

Mr. Hiram Gould, of East Corinth, has had the remains of his son, R. C. Gould, who died in Leadville some years ago, and of his grand-daughter, Mrs. Ella Kenney, who died recently in Bridgeport, Conn., brought to Corinth and interred in the family lot at the cemetery. Mrs. R. C. Gould, and her son-in-law, Mr. Kenney, accompanied the remains to Corinth.

The extensive improvements in charge of Janitor Bragdon continue at the court house, and they add greatly to its convenience and appearance. County Treasurer H. L. Stubbs will occupy his office today, after the painting, rearrangement of counters and desks, laying of oil cloth on the floor, etc. Similar attention will be begun today on Clerk of Courts Sweet's offices. Register of Deeds J. T. Bowler's offices have received a fine coat of paint, cleansing, etc. The supreme court room is being washed and cleansed on the walls and some painting will be done. The jury rooms are also being made more comfortable and convenient.

Col. J. B. Peaks, of Dover, came to Bangor yesterday to try the case of Cohen vs. Manuel, a civil action in which Jacob Cohen, a peddler of Bangor, sues A. O. Manuel, an inn-keeper, of Henderson, for the recovery of goods valued at something over $75, the personal property of said Cohen. Cohen was riding through the country with a cart and goods and stopped at Manuel's house for one night. During that night some person at present unknown, stole the horse, wagon and goods. Cohen sues Manuel for alleged carelessness in keeping his property at the inn. Col. Peaks intended to try the case in the Municipal Court, but has decided to file a petition taking it to the Supreme Court where it will be heard during the April term in this city.

The latest thing to compete with sawed boards is the wood fibre box. It is made of pulp, something after the style of fibre wooden ware. It is supported by a light frame around the outside, and has no joints except at the corners. It looks as if the time would come when wood grinding will be a bigger industry than saw milling. Improved methods of reduction are likely to be such that everything in the shape of wood and bark will be converted into pulp. A concern in Wisconsin now is buying millions of feet of hemlock to be worked up into fibre. The wood pulp business, when it reaches its full development, will utilize much timber that cannot be converted into lumber, and thus hasten the extinction of our forests, unless vigorous and widespread measures shall be taken to cultivate and plant anew. More New England and New York spruce is worked into pulp than is cut into lumber. This fibre business, moreover, will greatly add to the value of standing timber and timber-lands, because it will render wood saleable that once went to waste, remarks the Northwestern Lumberman.

THE TEMPERATURE

Atmospheric Conditions as Shown by Methodical Observations.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's Pharmacy:

		Barometer.	Thermometer.
March 16,	7 A.M.	30.7	6
	12 M.	30.7	30
	6 P.M.	30.7	11

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. Albert S. Rines, of Portland, is in the city.

Mrs. James E. Donning is visiting in Brunswick.

Miss Lottie Folsom, of Bucksport, is visiting in Bangor.

Mr. John P. Gordon, of Franklin, is in the city on business.

Miss Kate Gilman has gone to Augusta for a few days' visit.

County Attorney B. L. Smith, of Patten, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Parshley, of Dexter, were in the city yesterday.

Miss Emma Coffin leaves today for a visit of several weeks in Boston.

Mr. Frank Stetson arrived in this city last night, from St. John, N. B.

Misses Grace and Lottie Godfrey, of Bucksport, are visiting in Bangor.

Mr. John McCausland, of Kingman, was in Bangor Tuesday on business.

Mr. George Downes, of Calais, was in the city Tuesday at the Bangor House.

Mr. C. R. Clark and Mr. G. D. Sherley, of Bar Harbor, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Damrosch, accompanied by her children, Alice and Gretchen, left Augusta Monday for New York.

Landlord William Heughen of the Silver Lake Hotel, Katahdin Iron Works, was at the Penobscot Exchange yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Chase has gone to Germantown, Pa., being called there by the serious illness of her brother, Capt. George Baker.

Mrs. Don A. H. Powers, of Houlton, who has been visiting Governor and Mrs. Powers at Augusta, is visiting her mother in Newport.

Mrs. Lydia F. Clark has returned to her home in Bangor from Augusta, accompanied by Miss Alice Weston, who will make her a visit.

Mrs. Abbie Mosher, of Oakland, who has been spending the winter with her son, Rev. C. E. Mosher, in Bangor, has returned to her home.

Editor C. W. Robbins, of the Oldtown Enterprise, and wife returned home Tuesday morning from their trip to Texas and other States.

Mr. George Webber, principal of the Hampden Academy, is spending his vacation with his brother, Dr. Wallace Webber, of Pine street, Lewiston.

Mr. George H. Condon, of this city, has accepted a position in George Guernon's shoe store in Calais. He will leave this week to assume his new duties.

Mr. Reuben L. Ilsley, son of Rev. G. B. Ilsley, of Bangor, and Mrs. Ilsley, are the guests of Mrs. Ilsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Morrill, of Winter street, Waterville.

Mr. C. W. Gibbs, of the Suffolk Globe Mining and Milling Company, of Ophir, Col., who has been visiting his father, Mr. W. E. Gibbs, at Glenburn, left Tuesday on his return to Colorado. Mr. Gibbs was graduated from the Maine State College in the class of 1879.

Clyde Marco Jailed.

Detective George W. Harriman returned to this city yesterday with Clyde Marco, the Newburgh young man who has made such a rumpus lately about poisoning himself, as he said, on account of unrequited affection. Marco is charged with hiring a team at Wright's stable on Columbia street recently and forgetting to remember to return it. He took a long ride and was finally stopped by officers at Waterville from which place Detective Harriman brought him yesterday.

Marco was taken to the police station for a short time but was later removed to the jail. He will be brought before the Municipal Court at once.

MATTAWAMKEAG LUMBERMEN.

Annual Meeting of the Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company on Tuesday.

The annual meeting of the Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company was held in this city Tuesday at the office of the clerk and treasurer, T. S. Moor, on Exchange street. There was a good attendance of the members, quite a number of those who have operations on the Mattawamkeag river this winter being present. Clerk and Treasurer T. S. Moor presented his annual report as follows:

To the members of the Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company:

I hereby present the annual report of the business of the company for the year ending March 15, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

To cash in treasury	$74.00
J. H. Fisher for driving in '94	1.81
M. B. Pinkham for driving in '95	670.20
Second National Bank for Co. note, $2,000, May 4, at 4 months	1,670.07
Second National Bank for Co. note, $2,000, May 16, at 4 months	1,060.00
Second National Bank for Co. note, $3,000, June 1, at 4 months	2,910.00
Second National Bank for Co. note, $2,000, June 2, at 6 months	1,940.00
Second National Bank for Co. note, $3,000, June 8, at 5 months	2,925.00
$3,000, June 10, at 6 months	2,910.00
Thomas & Chandler for driving in '96	334.67
G. L. Byron for driving in '96	102.17
Hinch & Kelley for driving in '96	2,092.98
S. C. Cummings for tolls in '95	118.20
C. N. & A. W. Carey for driving in '96	622.70
I. W. Bussel & Co. for driving in '96	570.80
Kingston & Gilpatrick, for driving in '96	210.01
M. L. Emerson & Son for driving in '96	112.51
J. W. Burke & Son for driving in '96	773.91
M. B. Pinkham for driving in '96	400.88
O. W. Anderson for driving in '96	[illegible]
Geo. W. Coffin for driving in '96	880.78
Geo. I. Wescott for driving in '96	193.77
Sterns Lumber Co. for driving in '96	632.68
Gilpatrick & White Bros., driving in '96	1,023.22
H. A. Bennett for driving in '96	401.88
Frank W. Hunt & Co., for driving in '96	216.18
Shaw & Morse Lumber Co. for driving in '96	103.72
J. B. Fisher for driving in '96	402.83
W. E. Palmer on acct. of driving in '96	1,825.00
A. G. Chalmers for driving in '96	2,103.07
C. L. Pettengill for driving in '96	1,012.00
Henry White for driving in '96	271.72
C. F. Keefe for driving in '96	318.20
J. W. Palmer for driving in '96	152.78
H. H. Putnam on acct. of driving in '96	600.00
C. C. Joy for driving in '96	2,000.21
C. F. Palmer on account of driving in '96	200.00
D. C. Parker for driving in '96	12.00
M. Johnson for driving in '96	181.68
E. W. Robinson for driving in '96	20.58
Second National Bank for Co. note, $3,000, Dec. 2, at 6 months	1,010.00
M. Johnson for tolls in '96	22.53
Second National Bank for Co. note $1500, Dec. 16, at 2 months	1,485.00
C. F. & S. Chadbuck for tolls in '96	25.41
Second National Bank for Co. note, $1,500, Feb. 16, at 2 months	1,485.00
Hinch & Kelley on logs left out of drill	87.03
Island Falls Mill Co. for driving in '96	4.41
	$10,352.50

EXPENDITURES.

N. H. Bragg & Sons for chains, etc.	$11.30
Palmer & Ross for driving M. B. P.'s logs in '95	720.72
Chambers & Hinch for driving in '96	17,205.32
J. P. Bass & Co. for advertising	3.75
Second National Bank for Co. note due June 2-5	2,000.00
C. H. Glass & Co. for printing	0.50
Second National Bank for Co. note June 16-19	3,000.00
J. P. Bass & Co. for advertising	1.75
Second National Bank for Co. note, due Sept. 4-7	2,000.00
A. G. Chambers for building boom, etc.	27.57
Second National Bank for Co. note, due Sept. 16-19	2,000.00
Bangor Pub. Co. for advertising	10.13
Second National Bank for Co. note due Oct. 1-4	3,000.00
Second National Bank for Co. note, due Nov. 8-11	3,000.00
Second National Bank for Co. note, due Dec. 2-5	2,000.00
C. H. Glass & Co. for printing	3.50
Second National Bank for Co. note, due Dec. 16-19	3,000.00
Boutelle Bros. for advertising	6.22
P. L. D. Co. for rent of office and telephone	25.00
M. S. Clifford for services	3.00
C. P. Webber for labor on and trip to King dam	10.00
Second National Bank for Co. note, due Feb. 16-19	1,500.00
Clerk and Treasurer's salary	300.00
For stationery, postage, telegrams, etc.	14.08
For Directors' salaries	50.00
Auditor	3.00
By balance to new account	680.47
	$10,352.50

LIABILITIES.

Notes at Second National bank	$3,500.00

ASSETS.

H. H. Putnam, due on 1894 driving	$807.01
H. H. Putnam, due 1895 driving	17.50
C. F. Palmer, due on 1894 driving	130.74
H. H. Putnam, due on 1896 driving	251.90
W. E. Palmer, due on 1896 driving	65.82
C. B. Clark, due on 1896 tolls	181.01
W. H. Libby, due on 1896 driving	212.23
Jos. Murphy, due on 1896 driving	117.01
Henry White, due on 1896 driving	18.07
J. G. Fleming, due on 1896 driving (estimated)	750.00
	$2,077.00
Cash on hand	680.47
	$2,257.47

T. S. Moor, Treasurer.

Bangor, March 10, 1897.

I have examined the accounts of T. S. Moor, Treasurer, of the Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company, since his last settlement and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and showing a balance in his hands of six hundred eighty dollars and forty-seven cents, $680.47.

George S. Chalmers, Auditor.

The following officers were elected:

President, C. P. Webber (re-elected).

Clerk and Treasurer, Charles H. Adams.

Directors, E. Gilpatrick, W. Johnson and E. J. Bryson.

There were two candidates for clerk and treasurer, Charles H. Adams, of Kimball, Adams & Co., and George S. Chalmers, of Adams & Co.

Messrs. M. Johnson, of Macwahoc, and A. W. Byron, of Linneus, were voted in as members.

The directors met at 2.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and the drive was let at auction. John McCausland, of Kingman, was the successful bidder at the following rates for the first drive:

Gelleraon boom	$ .29½ per M
Baskahegan	.38
Smith Brook	.28½
Pitlock	.24½
Jim Skittlebok	.23½
Mouth of Molunkus	.22½
Mattakeunk	.22½

The second drive will be taken care of at the rate of 5 cents more per thousand than the first drive and the third at the rate of 10 cents more than the first. Last year the driving was done by Chambers Hinch & Kelley, of Danforth. The Mattawamkeag drive this year will contain about 30,000,000 logs, much of which is pulp wood. Hinch & Kelley, of Danforth, are among the largest operators and they will get 5,000,000.

Bucksport Seminary Association.

The third annual reunion of the Bucksport Seminary Association will be held on Friday, April 9th, at 7.30 p. m. at Hotel Brunswick, corner of Boylston and Clarendon streets, Boston. In accordance with numerous suggestions, the executive committee has decided to have the reunion of 1897 take the form of a reception with light refreshments, in order that the members may have better opportunity to enjoy the social features of the evening. Music will be furnished by an orchestra. Two or three short addresses may be expected and Misses Nash, Hooper and Pillsbury will entertain with vocal and instrumental selections. There will be no annual assessment, and no subscription papers of any nature will be circulated. Tickets at one dollar each may be obtained from Mr. Oscar Storer, 53 State street, Boston, room 1050. All are requested to promptly notify him how many tickets they desire so that ample provision may be made for all who wish to be present. The largest and most successful reunion yet held is expected.

Mock Trial and Social.

At the Y. M. C. A. last evening the members were pleasantly entertained by a mock trial and social. Many were present. At the trial Mr. T. D. Bailey was the presiding justice and Secretary R. A. Jordan and Mr. Harry Freese were the attorneys. The trial brought out many amusing features. The prisoner was decided by the jury to be not guilty but was advised not to do so again. After the trial refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was passed socially and very pleasantly.

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The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Ara Warren.

THE FILTER PLANT.

Superintendent Aggie of the Cumberland Manufacturing Company Has No Fears Regarding a Suit Against the City.

Superintendent Franklin Aggie, of the Cumberland Manufacturing Company, of Boston, which put in Bangor's filter plant at the water works, arrived in the city yesterday morning from Boston, and had a talk with members of the Water Board concerning the threatened suit of the New York Filter Manufacturing Company against the city, if the filter plant was put in.

It will be remembered that a letter was received in this city early in February from John R. Fennell, Esq., counsel of the New York Manufacturing Company, stating that suit would be brought if the city allowed the Cumberland Manufacturing Company to put in the filters, as it was claimed that they were an infringement upon the Hyatt patent of the New York company.

Superintendent Aggie stated yesterday that he had no fears of any suit being brought. He said that during the nine years in which the Cumberland Manufacturing Company had been putting in these same filters in various places, each place had received a "circular," as he called it, similar to that received in Bangor but that no suits had ever been brought by the New York Filter Manufacturing Company against them and he did not believe any would be in this case.

Several mills on the Penobscot use the filters of the Cumberland Manufacturing Company but it had never called forth a lawsuit. Mr. Aggie says that his company has not infringed upon the Hyatt patent and that there is no cause for any action at law by the New York company. Mr. Aggie left on last evening's train on his return to Boston.

While it would seem that the New York company has no occasion to bring a suit against the city, yet, in order to be on the safe side, the final payment of $7,000 on the filter plant will be withheld by the city until the Cumberland Manufacturing Company gives absolute assurance that there is no danger of any suit.

AMUSEMENTS.

Prof. Carpenter.

Prof. Carpenter, the hypnotist, furnished the usual amount of fun last evening at The Norombega by the performances of his subjects who appeared upon the stage to receive his hypnotic treatment. He will close his engagement of little over a week this evening and will doubtless have the customary audience in attendance.

"O'Brien, The Contractor."

"O'Brien, the Contractor" which Daniel Sully is to present at the Opera House, Friday, March 19, has for one unique effect a realistic, track laying scene with foreman, strikers and others in a stirring struggle. The railroad construction and the rock blasting are features said to be so realistic and natural that it is hard for a spectator to believe he is not watching in reality the completion of a line of railroad. The strike between Italian and Irish workmen and the final restoration of order by the bold front and determined manner of O'Brien, the contractor, and his ultimate successful fulfillment of the contract on hand by the driving of the "golden spike" in the face of difficulty and danger, are prominent points. The play is said to be replete with deft touches of humor and pathos combined with a story of interest. The stage settings and scenery are carried complete.

Base Ball Notes.

Mr. Charles Toole returned yesterday from the Maine Base Ball League meeting at Augusta on Monday and reports an harmonious and encouraging session of the representatives of Augusta, Portland, Lewiston, Belfast, Rockland and Bangor. The outlook is very promising and Mr. Toole proposed to have Bangor represented by a strong team which will play such excellent ball as the Bangor public has been used to.

The Portland team is complete, a nine having been transferred bodily from Michigan.

The baseball men in Belfast have already raised $1000 for the team and expect to get $500 more. Upon the occasion of the first Belfast-Bangor game in this city a large excursion, with a band, will be run here from Belfast. It will be very much like the old-time rivalry.

Upon the suggestion of Mr. Toole at Monday's meeting it was arranged that one day a week should be set apart for ladies' day, on which no admission would be charged them.

A committee was appointed consisting of W. H. Long, Chris. Toole and M. J. Garrity, to serve as a schedule committee. This committee will meet and report to the association, April 15, the place to be decided upon by the president.

The franchise for the Lewiston club has been placed with Secretary Garrity, who says he will probably get some one to run it for him.

Belfast is in correspondence with Mike McDermott, manager of last year's Bangors, with a view to obtaining his services as manager and it is probable that the arrangement will be made.

The Bangors will play some exhibition games before the regular season opens on May 20. The Maine State College team wants a date.

Dorthick Club Concert.

The Dorthick Club concert last evening in the Central church vestry was largely attended and enjoyable. It was devoted to Gounod and Chopin compositions. All of the selections were excellent and the chorus, directed by Mr. F. S. Davenport, sang finely. The analysis was read by Mrs. E. E. Peck. The programme was arranged by Miss Edith M. Bradford and was as follows:

"Praise Ye the Father."	Chorus.
"Sing, Smile, Slumber," violin obligato.	Mr. Sawyer, Miss Higgins.
"There is a Green Hill Far Away."	Mr. James I. Haynes.
Rondo in C.	Mrs. Ayer, Mrs. Tuck.
"Flower Song," Faust.	Miss Kirkpatrick.
Ballade in G minor.	Mrs. Ralph Flanders. (Chopin)
"Ave Maria," violin obligato.	Miss Laura Tefft.
"Soldiers' Chorus," Faust.	Chorus.

Sold the "Holland Potato Digger."

Mr. George N. Holland, of Hampden, proprietor of the "Holland Potato Digger," has sold out to Mr. John J. Frye, of Portland. Mr. Holland says: "I am pleased to sell to a Maine man and one of such sterling qualities as Mr. Frye, who is a large manufacturer of farm implements, among which is the celebrated 'Frye Plow.'"

New Advertisements.

Buy a stock pattern dinner set at P. H. Vose & Co.'s and be always satisfied.

Special convocation of M. M. R. A. C. Thursday evening.

See notice of persons desiring seats at Hammond street church.

Bonds bought and sold by Tyler, Fogg & Co.

Miss Field's kindergarten and primary department will reopen next Monday at 128 Hammond street.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed to cure acute or muscular rheumatism in from one to five days. Sharp, shooting pains in any part of the body stopped by a few doses. A prompt, complete and permanent cure for lameness, soreness, stiff back and all pains in hips and loins. Chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago or pain in the back are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief from one or two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used. Price 25c.

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Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

COURT CASES

Which Were Settled on Tuesday.

Matteo Inforarti, who keeps a fruit store on Central street, was before the Municipal Court yesterday charged with keeping a gambling place. Besides his regular stock he has dice and slot machines and it has been charged that small boys were using the devices of chance considerably.

Chief Gilman and Deputy Chief Bowen notify the keeper that he must stop the practice. Deputy Bowen testified in court that he had notified Inforarti a half-dozen times without effect. On Monday, after hearing the boys tell how they had gambled in the Inforarti shop, Deputy Bowen and Patrolman Knolde visited the place, found the owner in the act of shaking the dice with customers, and secured the appliances. He was arrested. In court Inforarti protested his innocence; thought he was being abused; never let the boys gamble in his shop and said the boys lied. He pleaded not guilty. He was fined $10 and costs and paid.

Andrew Flanegan and George Campbell were before the court charged with the larceny of jars of blackberry preserves from the house of Charles Howard. In court the boys pleaded guilty to the charge. Judge Vose sentenced Flanegan to the Reform School during his minority.

Campbell's father was in court and promised to care for him so that he should be kept straight. The boy was sentenced to the payment of a fine of $1 and the costs, or $7.83.

John Murray and Joseph Lawler were arraigned for fighting in the Waverly house, Bangor. Lawler was sentenced to 60 days in jail and Murray was fined $10 and the costs which he paid.

KENTUCKY SENATORSHIP.

Republicans Will Be Able to Elect at This Session.

Frankfort, Ky., March 16. Five new senators, four Republicans and one Democrat, were sworn in this morning. The Blackburn senators attempted to refer the credentials but were outvoted. This means that the Republicans will be able to elect a United States Senator at this session.

Anti-Trust Bills.

Albany, N. Y., March 16. The Governor's legal adviser, Charles Z. Lincoln, has completed the preparation of the two anti-trust bills which are intended to carry out the recommendations of the Lexow trust investigating committee. The first bill is entitled: "An act to amend the stock corporation law relating to annual reports and liabilities of officers, directors and stockholders of foreign stock corporations." The second bill, which is the more important of the two, is called "an act to prevent monopolies in articles or commodities of common use and to prohibit the restraint of trade and commerce, providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act and procedure to enable the Attorney General to secure testimony in relation thereto."

Every contract, agreement, arrangement or combination whereby a monopoly in the manufacture or sale in this state of articles of commodity of common use is or may be created or whereby trade or commerce in any such article or commodity may be restricted or whereby competition in the supply or price of any such article or commodity may be restrained or prevented or whereby for the purpose of creating a monopoly for the manufacture, production or sale of any such article or commodity the free pursuit of any lawful business, trade or occupation is or may be restricted or prevented is, by the provisions of the bill declared to be against public policy, illegal and void. Every person or corporation or any officer or agent thereof who shall make or attempt to make or enter any such contract, agreement, arrangement or combination shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $5,000 or by imprisonment for not longer than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment and if a corporation by a fine of not exceeding $5,000.

Verdict Against Kennebec Journal.

Augusta, Me., March 16. The sealed verdict in the libel suit of George McNally vs. the Kennebec Journal was opened today. It fixes the damages at $893.75. The case will be appealed. The plaintiff was a deputy sheriff and the alleged libel consisted of published statements regarding the escape of a prisoner from his custody.

English Government Waste Paper.

Periodically precise statements of what is in stock are drawn up and sent to all known dealers in waste paper, and those of them who wish to buy any of the lots offered to them return the lists with the highest bids they are prepared to make, and the highest bidder becomes the purchaser and carries it off. The annual sales bring in something over £10,000 a year, which, according to arrangements prevailing up till 1811, would all have gone as "perquisites" into official pockets. Those were the good old times before the civil service "went to the dogs." It was found in very many cases that the official who pocketed the proceeds of waste paper had the original ordering of the goods.

The more he ordered the greater would be the waste and the better for his pocket, and of course there was a dreadful howl when, in 1811, Mr. McCulloch proposed a reform. The reform was indeed carried—on paper. But that, too, for a long time, proved to be little better than waste paper. The officials naturally entertained the strongest objection to relinquishing their customary perquisites and held on to them until a few of them were prosecuted for theft, or, to adopt the more polite phraseology of a treasury minute, for "the systematic misappropriation of public property," and then for the first time Mr. McCulloch's reform became a real one, and ever since all waste has been properly collected and systematically dealt with.—Chambers' Journal.

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DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK Ar 15, sch Chas L Davenport, Cienfuegos

BUCKSPORT Ar 14, sch Hannah Coomer, Dunbar, Boston.

Sld 15, schs Omaha, Dorr, W T Emerson, Woodward, Orland for Boston.

BOSTON Sld 15, schs Edw L Warren, Belfast; Jas Holmes, do.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER Ar 14, sch Charles L Davenport, Watts, Cienfuegos, all for NY.

Sld, sch Almeda Willey, Dodge, Brunswick for NY.

PORTLAND Ar 14, schs Annie Gus, Calais for NY; Madagascar do for do; Alice T Boardman, do for do.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Sld from Barbados Feb 17, sch Henry Crosby, Stubbs, St Domingo.

In port at Manila, March 11, ship John R Kelley, Chapman, for Delaware Breakwater.

DIED.

At Bangor, March 16, Timothy, infant son of John L. Sherman, aged 1 month. Funeral to-day at 2 30, from 3 45 Grove Street.

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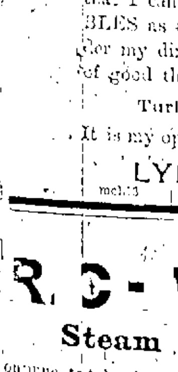

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